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Weather

Cloudy and rather mild weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 62.8 and the minimum 41.9, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 38.7 and 27.5.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Pres. Jackson, Dec. 15.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Jefferson, Dec. 9.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Angkor, 8 a.m. today.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Paul Lecat, Dec. 10.

SHIPPING

Space In Demand Imports Are Heavy Hongkong's Troubles

The same basic factors which govern the course of trade in Shanghai are clearly exhibited in the trend of freights. It is hardly to be expected that conditions in the shipping world would change overnight from a dull to a brisk condition. There are some factors which have to be taken into consideration and which tend to slacken any vigorous improvement. Trade, on the whole, in China at present is dull. In all of the export markets there is little flow out. Not only is coastwise shipping quiet, but the export of China products is poor. The general export trade to Europe and America is not up to normal, and while the position is better than it has been at certain times during the present year, still there is room for further constructive development.

Buyers continue to exhibit a considerable degree of hesitancy and are going on a hand-to-mouth basis. Supplies, on the other hand, of some materials are also not large owing to a drawing close of the seasons. The deadlock, for instance, between buyers and sellers in the silk trade has not yet been broken, and there is still a wide difference of opinion as to what should constitute proper price levels. The steamship companies that make a specialty of quick despatch of silk cargo complain that there is a greatly reduced volume of this commodity going to the United States, and the outlook in this connection is not over bright, especially as the season will be drawing to a close soon. The same applies in the case of tea, shipments of which are greatly curtailed with the approach of the winding up of the season.

STEAMERS FILLED

Most of the steamers to the East and West Coasts of the United States are nevertheless successful in filling the Shanghai assignments allotted to them. Among the articles of commerce moving to the United States are hides, peanuts, bristles, beans, bean oil, etc. There is a fair quantity of general cargo for American ports, and, generally, there is a slightly better feeling in shipping circles now than before. Compared with last year this time, conditions are better, and will certainly improve when trade begins to pick up. On the other hand, some of the trans-Pacific liners are carrying nearly full passenger lists both ways.

Against the light exports from Shanghai, there is a somewhat heavy importation, boats from the San Francisco, Vancouver and New York routes bringing heavy cargo. There is noticeable a pronounced and steady consignment of wheat, flour and lumber, almost every incoming vessel from the United States carrying shipments one or all of these commodities. So heavy has been the demand for American and Canadian flour and wheat and American lumber that exporters from the other side had to charter steamers in which to make shipments, owing to all liner space being booked up till March next.

The north Pacific Coast milling industry has experienced this year the greatest oriental export flour and wheat trade in its history, and the present outlook is that the end is not yet. Most of the mills are sold to capacity till March, and space is most difficult to get. Tramp steamers are coming to Shanghai in larger numbers, and show an increase of nearly 30 to 40 percent. They all bring wheat and flour. Prompt space is difficult to secure from the Pacific Coast, almost all liners having their allotments from the Pacific Coast fully booked up for January, February and March.

HONGKONG SUFFERS

The shipping situation in Hongkong is also poor. The movement of imports and exports there is very slack, due principally to the disturbance in Canton, very little goods going into the interior.

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American News Service To The East Planned By Reuters

Our readers will learn with gratification of a further expansion in the foreign news service to be available to THE CHINA PRESS—an American service. The service will be in the form of direct news dispatches from the United States through Reuters.

This reorganisation and augmentation of Reuters' news report is the culmination of plans which were broached some time ago and is probably due in large measure to the efforts of Mr. W. Turner, Reuters' genial and efficient general manager in the Far East—though doubtless Mr. Turner would modestly disclaim any credit for the expansion.

MARINES LANDED AT CANTON TO GUARD CUSTOMS

Coolidge Opposes League In First Message To Congress

POLICIES OF HARDING ARE REAFFIRMED BY PRESIDENT

Only Luke Warm On Participation In World Court

TAX REDUCTIONS

Stronger Army And Navy Are Held Essential

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Dec. 6.—Opposition to American participation in the League of Nations and a mild recommendation that the United States participate in the world court were voiced by President Calvin Coolidge today in delivering his first address before a joint session of Congress.

Little deviation from the policies pursued by his predecessor, the late President Harding, were seen in the President's message by political observers. The President's attitude on American participation in the World Court, however, for which President Harding had come out so strongly, evoking thereby considerable protest from the "isolationist" group, was characterised following the address as only luke-warm.

Cancellation of Europe's debts to America, the President held in his address, was not to be considered. Further, he declared, the sums which Europe owes to America gives to the United States a direct interest in Europe's economic recovery.

Discussing internal problems, the President recommended that reductions be made in the income and excess profits taxes. This is in line with the recent recommendation to the same effect made by Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellon.

A stronger army and navy, with particular attention paid to the enlargement of America's airplane and submarine force the President said, was essential for purposes of national defense.

The President urged that further restrictions be imposed on immigration to America and that a plan be evolved immediately for the registration of all aliens now resident in the United States.

He expressed himself as opposed to proposals for a bonus to American soldiers and sailors who took part in the World War.

Speaking of the hardship encountered this year by American agricultural interests, particularly wheat growers, owing to the slump in the price of farm products, the President urged that temporary government subsidies be voted to assure the disposal of surplus supplies of foodstuffs.

In concluding, the President reiterated the desire of the American nation to resume relations with Russia but declared that this was impossible until such a time as the Soviet sees fit to recognise Russia's international obligations.

Chinese Complain Of Ill Treatment By Russ Officials

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 3.—Chinese residents in Siberia despatched one of their number, Mr. Huang, to come to Peking and enlighten the Government as to their plight and to plead for protection from the alleged ill-treatment accorded them by the Russian authorities.

Directorship In Spain Carries On

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5.—In a statement to the Spanish press General Primo de Rivera detailed his plans and declared that in face of the proof of the absolute confidence of general opinion the Directorate considered itself obliged to continue its task.

SOUTH DAKOTA G. O. P. FAVOR PRES. COOLIDGE

Convention Urges Choice As Republican Standard Bearer

(Exclusive China Press)

Pierre, South Dakota, Dec. 5.—The Republican state convention, in session here today, gave President Calvin Coolidge a majority in the voting on nominees for the Republican presidential nomination next year. Hiram Johnson, senator from California, was the only other candidate whose name came before the convention. Coolidge was endorsed by a two to one vote, after which the convention made the endorsement unanimous.

Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas was unanimously endorsed as a candidate for vice-president.

The Farmer-Labor party, which is also in session, endorsed Senator Robert M. LaFolictte of Wisconsin for the presidency. A serious split developed in the voting on LaFollette, however, and following the action of the convention in endorsing him more than one-third of the delegates to the convention bolted.

STIFF SENTENCE FOR RUSSIAN WHO IMPORTED ARMS

Man Found With Ten Revolvers Gets Eighteen Months

Eighteen months' imprisonment was the sentence given by Assessor Jacbos and Magistrate Kwan of the Mixed Court yesterday in the case of Michael Zybin, formerly a captain in the Imperial Russian army and a refugee from the steamer Eldorado, who was charged with importing and keeping arms for the purpose of sale.

"In view of the numbers of armed robberies where revolvers and pistols are used which must have been sold to Chinese under circumstances similar to those in this case," said Assessor Jacobs in giving judgment, "the Court cannot but take a serious view of the offense so that it may act as a warning to others. Although we will not sentence you to the maximum penalty, you will be sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment and to expulsion from the Settlement."

Zybin was arrested by Detective Inspector J. Sullivan, after the latter had found nine revolvers, an automatic pistol and 151 rounds of ammunition for the weapons under the man's bed at 1029 Sinza Road. Zybin had come ashore from the steamer Eldorado, Inspector Sullivan told the Court, and had brought the weapons here to sell. There were about a dozen other Russians and three or four Indians living in the same house with the accused and it was a very dangerous thing to have these pistols available there.

Zybin told the Court that he had received the revolvers to dispose of on behalf of others. The pistol was his own. He was trying to sell them merely to aid these others and the information had been given against him by Russians who were displeased at his altruistic endeavors. He did not know that it was against the law for him to sell the weapons and he had really only made one attempt to sell them—to a Russian. He also said that he had only been in possession of the revolvers since the morning previous but, Inspector Sullivan said the police had information that he had been in possession of them for a considerably longer time.

French Workers At Panama Honored

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5—A monument to the French workers on the Panama Canal was unveiled today at Panama in the presence of the local authorities and the commander of the cruiser Jeanne d'Arc.

PHYSICIANS HERE DERIDE GOAT GLAND OPERATIONS

Transplantation Not Successful, They Assert

OPPOSE BRINKLEY

Medical Society May Be Asked To Voice Views

BY LARRY LEHRBAS

The Shanghai Medical Society, composed of a majority of the orthodox physicians and surgeons of different nationalities in Shanghai, is expected to meet in extra session within a day or two and discuss the questions naturally arising out of the coming to Shanghai of Dr. John R. Brinkley, the goat-gland transplantor, it was learned last night.

Dr. Brinkley, accompanied by Mrs. Brinkley and another member of the staff of his hospital in Milford, Kansas, will arrive here on Sunday on the President Jefferson, and it was said that it was possible the medical society would discuss his invasion of Shanghai before that time and pass a resolution setting forth their united opinion on the subject of transplanting goat glands, or glands from any other animal, to human beings.

The medical society, judging from expressions obtained from three American doctors and one European doctor yesterday, will frame a resolution that will brand the alleged revivifying and rejuvenating qualities of goat glands in the human system as an expression of 'unwarranted optimism,' to say the least.

The doctors, because of their orthodox views, would not allow their names to be used for publication, but freely expressed themselves in depriding Dr. Brinkley and his alleged restoration of youthful energy in men and women in the afternoon of their physical existence.

ANTI-GLANDERS

One American surgeon confined his denial of the efficacy of goat-gland operations to a statement on the subject contained in Forchheimer's Therapeusis of Internal Diseases, edited by Dr. Frank Billings, Professor of Medicine at the University of Chicago and the Rush Medical College, considered one of the foremost world-wide authorities. Under the chapter on sex glands in that work, page 809, Dr. Billings writes that "transplantation appears to be only a temporary measure, even under the most favorable conditions, as the graft is sooner or later completely absorbed." In remarks on gland operations in experimenting on animals Dr. Billings writes: "Tests to restore animals to normal level were not successful although some improvement was shown. Summing up Dr. Billings writes that "the effects of an extract or transplanting are largely mental and cannot, of course, overcome sterility."

NO FAITH

"I have absolutely no faith in any value being deriyed from goat gland transplantations," another American doctor said. "Dr. Brinkley is by no means the first to perform such operations. Almost from time immemorial surgeons have been experimenting with some means or other to prolong human life beyond the usual three score and ten years. Many surgeons have experimented with gland operations and the general opinion is that they cannot be called successful.

"The operation is extremely simple from a surgical point of view. Even an advanced surgery student can perform it. There isn't a surgeon in Shanghai that couldn't do it. Do you think for a moment that if world known authorities on surgery thought

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ALL PARTIES CONFIDENT ON EVE OF VOTE IN ENGLAND

Conservatives Hope For Increased Majority

WEATHER GOOD

Surprise Predicted By Leaders Of Liberals

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 6.—Polling in London is taking place in fine, cold weather. The booths opened at seven o'clock in many constituencies and in others at eight o'clock, after which there was a steady flow of voters, mostly city men, as workingmen mostly vote in the evening. It is expected that the polling will be heavy.

The results of about 200 out of 564 contests will be declared tonight, including 30 in London. Most of the remainder will be announced tomorrow, commencing at midday.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 5.—The eve of the polling day finds all the parties confident of improving their positions.

An official of the Conservative headquarters declared that, given fine weather tomorrow, the Conservatives hoped not only to maintain their majority but even to increase it.

It is stated at the Liberal headquarters that the canvass has been very encouraging. Great Liberal enthusiasm is reported throughout the country. An official declined to make a forecast but declared that, if the promises made to them were fulfilled, everybody was in for a big surprise.

The Labor headquarters are confident of an increase in the party's representation in Parliament. An official declared that there would certainly be 171 Labor Members returned, probably more, and Labor would still be His Majesty's Opposition.

As regards the weather, rain

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TWO SERIOUSLY HURT IN RAID BY ARMED ROBBERS

Crime Wave Puts Holdups Over Century Mark

Two Chinese were shot and seriously wounded in the 100th armed robbery to be committed in Shanghai this year late yesterday afternoon. The 101st armed robbery occured a couple of hours afterward, giving emphasis to the crime wave now sweeping the Settlement. Last year only 46 armed robberies were committed during the entire 12 months.

Just before 6 o'clock in the evening six or seven men, three of whom were armed with automatics and one with a revolver, entered a pawnshop at 286 Woosung Road and robbed the cash drawer and inmates of $340. Before leaving they fired several shots in the shop and one shop assistant was shot through the right shoulder and another through the left arm and right leg. They were taken to St. Luke's Hospital where it is said their wounds might prove serious.

Shortly after 8 o'clock two men, one armed with a revolver, entered an exchange shop at 417 Chapoo Road and stole $60. The shop did not have a regulation grill to protect it against such robberies.

Greek Monarchs To Visit America

Queen Elizabeth and King George

King George and Queen Elizabeth of Greece will soon sail for the United States, personally to thank the people of America for the aid rendered Greece through the Near East Relief Commission. They will spend some weeks in California, where the King will study fruit-growing methods. The California climate is said to be very similar to that of Greece.

Loan To Halt Famine In Germany Proposed By U.S.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 5.—It is understood that the German proposals that the Reparations Commission should authorise the flotation of a loan to cover purchases of foodstuffs are assured the support of the United States to the extent of authorisation being given to the American observer to announce the willingness of the United States that priority should be extended to such a loan.

It is expected that the Germans will request a loan of $70,000,000 half of which would be offered to American investors.

The official attitude of Washington inclines to the belief that the situation in Germany requires emergency action to prevent wide-spread famine.

BOYD IS GIVEN DECREE DESPITE TERM IN PRISON

Lobingier Rules Involuntary Absence Doesn't Affect Domicile Status

Residence, for the purpose of divorce, within the jurisdiction of the United States Court in China is not interrupted by involuntary removal consequent upon conviction within, and imprisonment without, the jurisdiction provided the plaintiff returns and shows an intention to remain, according to an interesting decision handed down by Judge Charles S. Lobingier yesterday afternoon.

In the decision Judge Lobingier granted a divorce to Ralph Sharpless Boyd from Stella Wheeler Boyd on the grounds of desertion. The question of residence was raised because Boyd was convicted in the United States Court here sometime ago on a criminal charge, and imprisoned in Bilibid Prison in Manila, which is outside the jurisdiction of the Court. It is necessary for a plaintiff to be a resident of China for two years before divorce actions can be filed and Boyd was absent, in prison, during several months of that period.

In the same judgment Judge Lobingier held that desertion can be shown by the voluntary

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(Exclusive China Press)

London, Dec. 5.—The Times today intimates that the United States is willing to co-operate in the inquiry on Germany's capacity to pay provided that Premier Poincare of France will make further concessions. The United States asks, the Times says, that the French permit the proposed inquiry to cover every phase of German economic life in order that a basis may be obtained for restoring Germany's budget and monetary standards.

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Dec. 5.—According to a Dispatch to the Daily Telegraph, the United States will ask priority of her claim for a $30,000,000 loan to Germany for the purchase of foodstuffs in America. Eventually, the dispatch says, the United States expects to increase the loan to $90,000,000.

Sugar Production In Bulgaria Gains

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Dec. 5.—Bulgaria has increased its area of cultivated soil and sugar production in 1923 by over sixty percent, according to reports received here today from Sofia.

POWERS ACT TO PREVENT SEIZURE BY SUN YAT-SEN

Take Possession Of Customs House, Report

GUNBOATS READY

Seven Foreign Ships At Anchor Off Shameen

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Dec. 6.—It is reported that marines with machine-guns from foreign gunboats at Canton landed on the Bund today and took possession of the Customs House.

Seven foreign gunboats are anchored off Shameen. These comprise H. M. S. Magnolia, with Admiral Sir Arthur Leveson on board, H. M. S. Cicala, H. M. S. Moorhen and H. M. S. Tarantula, the Japanese Matsu and Sugi, and the French Cronone, with Admiral Frochat on board.

(Eastern News Agency)

Canton, Dec. 5.—In Canton, there are at present four British warships under Admiral Leveson, Commander-in-Chief of the British China Fleet, two French, two American and one Japanese warships. The Chinese here observe the presence of these foreign warships at this juncture as a sign that the Powers intend to make demonstrations in connection with Dr. Sun's plan of seizing the Customs revenues of Kuangtung.

DEADLOCK OVER SPEAKERSHIP IS BROUGHT TO END

Gillett Is Re-elected After Compromise Is Made With Progressives

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Dec. 5.—Congressman Gillett was re-elected Speaker of the House of Representatives today. Thus the deadlock has come to an end. President Coolidge's message will be delivered at a joint session of the Senate and the House at noon tomorrow.

Documents Show Czarist Payments To French Press

(Exclusive China Press)

Paris, Dec. 5.—L'Humanite in its issue today publishes documents from the Russian archives about "subventions" paid by the Czarist government to the French press. The names of M. Calmette, former director of the Paris Figaro and Senator Berthelot, former director of Liberte are mentioned in connection with the payments.

Issue Debentures For Zinc Combine

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 5.—An interesting forthcoming issue is that of £1,500,000 worth of debentures, which marks the completion of several years' negotiations for the formation of an Empire zinc combination, in which it is understood British, Australian and Burman interests are closely identified.

Herbert Standing Actor, Succumbs

(Exclusive China Press)

Los Angeles, Dec. 5.—Herbert Standing, actor, died here today at the age of 77.

SOCIALISTS IN GERMANY WORK WITH CABINET

Agree To Support Government In Proposals For Foreign Loan

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Dec. 5.—The Socialist members of the Reichstag, after a long debate among themselves, have decided not to obstruct the government's proposal for a law to authorise it to carry out such financial, economic and social measures as it deems essential.

Chancellor Marx, in introducing in the Reichstag the measure providing for such authorisation, declared that the aims of the present government were directed neither against the right nor the left, but against those who wished to deprive the German people of what still remained to them, namely national unity.

The Chancellor announced that the government will soon be able to dispense with the decrees providing for a state of emergency and martial law. He declared that only these decrees had made possible the preservation of peace prevalent now throughout the country.

After the Chancellor's address, the Reichstag adjourned.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Dec. 5.—Introducing the new Cabinet to the Reichstag, Herr Marx announced that the Government was at present unable to dispense with the military state of emergency, to which he attributed the state of peace prevailing throughout the country.

The Emergency Powers Bill will be discussed tomorrow. It will be opposed by the Socialists and probably by the Nationalists and, as a two-thirds majority of the Reichstag is necessary to pass the Bill, dissolution is likely to follow.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5.—The resumption of work continues in excellent conditions in the occupied territory of Germany.

Yesterday new agreements were concluded with firms representing an annual production of 6,000,000 tons, i.e., eight percent of the coal production of the Ruhr. This is added to the 78 percent of the production from the agreements already registered. These mines will have to pay more than a million and a half dollars for arrears of coal-tax.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5—Statistics of the Ministry of the Liberated Districts for the year 1923 show that deliveries in kind from the occupied territory to the devastated areas totalled 117,000 cubic metres of construction timber and 127,000 tons of construction iron, whilst in 1922 the timber delivered by Germany totalled only 37,000 and no iron whatever was delivered.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5—The Journal des Debats emphasises that the regrouping of the French and Belgian military forces in the Ruhr and the promises of pardon for the Germans expelled or condemned show the fidelity of the French and Belgian Governments to their pledges.

The intransigeant says: "We are entering, the first, into a period of relaxed tension and pacification which opens wide the door to eventual negotiations between Germany and ourselves. It is a measure of broad understanding, the merit for which must be attributed to M. Poincare personally. It is the Reich who will reply and by its reply will show whether or not it is worthy of the favor granted it."

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Dec. 5.—Herr Von Knilling, the Bavarian premier, declared today that he would insist that the Bavarian court of justice hear the high treason proceedings which have been brought against Herr Von Hitler, Fascisti leader, and his followers.

Herr Von Knilling declared that the surrender of the Fascisti leaders to the Reichsgericht at Leipsic, following the failure of the recent coup d'etat, did not guarantee their trial by authorities of the Reich, but that on the other hand, the Bavarian courts must maintain jurisdiction.

Bandit Leader Submits To Chang Tso-lin

(Nippon Dempo)

Mukden, Dec. 2.—Sun Chih-wu, the well-known bandit leader, who has for some time past been working havoc in the frontier region of Kirin, has pledged his allegiance to Marshal Chang Tso-lin, thanks to endeavours put forth by the Governor of Fanchiang Prefecture and a few other people. Sun announces that hereafter he will do his best to ensure the maintenance of order in the region.

Local Physicians Deride Goat Glands

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for an instant that such operations performed one-half the benefits claimed for them that they would not perform them? If there are any in Shanghai, however, who wish to be assured for themselves, it is a simple matter for them to approach their own doctor and, I venture to say, he will perform the operation for them at the usual rates for a minor operation."

LAUGHABLE

The third American doctor interviewed said the claims advanced in favor of goat-gland transplantations were laughable.

"That is, they would be laughable if so many did not consider the question seriously," he added. "Dr. Brinkley is one lone champion of the goat-gland theory. Opposed to him he has the great mass of reputable physicians and surgeons all over the world who have studied the question as he has, and perhaps know just as much, if not more, than he does concerning gland operations. Some of the foremost surgeons in the world have studied the question intently and made numerous experiments. I have experimented with the operation myself in the United States. The findings of all these experimenting surgeons—and my own findings—were that the operation is not successful. Within a short time after the alien gland is transplanted to the human system it atrophies, is absorbed by the system, is slough off, and all that remains is scar-tissue."

FALSE HOPES

The European doctor, who claims a knowledge of the Steinach operations along the same lines, is also an opponent of the theory, contending that hundreds of surgeons have experimented with the operations and found them to be of extremely doubtful, if any, value. The claims for the operation, he said, merely raised false hopes in the breasts of many men and women.

As a result of the individual feelings of the members of the medical profession in Shanghai it was said that the Shanghai Medical Society, as the representative voice of the profession in Shanghai, would unquestionably consider the matter at an early date when definite action would be taken.

No license is demanded of a physician in order to practice in Shanghai. All that is necessary is for him to present his graduation certificates from an accredited medical school and license to practice in the United States when he appears for registration at the American Consulate-General, as Dr. Brinkley will have to do before he will be able to perform the operation in Shanghai.

THE CHINA PRESS will be glad to receive communications from its readers, and particularly members of the medical profession, on the subject of great interest because of the wide-spread comment that Dr. Brinkley's coming to China has evoked.

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LEGION HONORS ADMIRAL PHELPS AT TIFFIN TODAY

Prominent Guests To Bid Popular Naval Officer Goodbye

Admiral W. W. Phelps, retiring commander of the American Yangtze patrol, will be the guest of honor at a tiffin given by the American Legion at the Hotel Parisien at noon today. It will be the Admiral's last appearance at a public function as he will sail in a few days for Washington, via Suez and Europe.

Admiral Anderson will make a short farewell address at the tiffin, during which he is expected to recount some of his experiences on the upper river and to discuss briefly some of the outstanding points in the present situation in China.

A number of distinguished Shanghailanders will be the guests of the Committee of the Legion on the occasion including Mr. E. S. Benbow Rowe, Major Hilton Johnson, Captain West, Mr. Hugh Martin, Mr. Reader Harris, Mr. V. D. K. Craddock, the Rev. Robbins, Captain Budgen, and Mr. E. H. McMichael, all members of the Committee of the British war veterans organisation; Commander Greene, the Resident British Naval Officer; Commander Browning, the Resident American Naval Officer; Commanders Cutts and Gates of the U. S. S. Pigeon and Penguin, Dr. W. T. Findley, president of the American Association; Mayor S. Fessenden; Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham, and Judge Charles S. Lobingier.

Judge C. S. Franklin, Commander of the local post of the Legion, will preside. The Hotel Parisien Orchestra will play during the tiffin hour.

Saltzmann To Be Made Major-General

(Exclusive China Press)

Washington, Dec. 5.—Secretary of War John W. Weeks today announced that he had selected Brigadier-General Charles M. Saltzmann to fill the vacancy in the ranks of major-generals which will exist with the early retirement of Major General George O. Squier.

Boyd Is Given Decree Despite Term In Prison

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statement of defendant, who had left the jurisdiction, stating that she did not intend to return and live with her hubsand. Under the American law applicable here the desertion must be for a period of one year or more.

Mr. N. Char appeared for Mr. Boyd and Mr. S. A. Moss of Haskell and Moss entered an appearance for Mrs. Boyd but took no active part in the proceedings.

FULL JUDGMENT

Judge Lobingier's complete judgment in the case was as follows:

"This is a suit for divorce upon the ground of desertion. The defendant appeared by counsel at the trial and while no formal answer was filed, a statement was offered in evidence which had been executed by her before the American Vice-Consul at Sydney, Australia, reciting, *inter alia*, that she had "resolved not to return and live with" plaintiff. The latter's testimony, corroborated by another witness, is to the effect that defendant left him in May, 1921, and that the statement referred to was executed without suggestion from him. The fact of desertion would seem, therefore, to be fully established.

"A more important question, however, is that of residence. The statute applicable in this jurisdiction provides that the plaintiff 'must be an inhabitant of the district at the commencement of the action and for two years prior thereto.'" (1) The plaintiff testified that he has resided here since October, 1918; but we must take judicial notice of the fact that on September 4, 1922, he was convicted of breach of prison and committed to Bilibid Prison, Manila, for a term of five months. (2) If this is to be treated as an interruption of his residence in China, it is obvious that the action is premature. But it seems to be well settled that such involuntary removal does not effect a change of domicile nor impair jurisdicion once acquired. (3) As observed by Judge Earle in the case last cited, referring to one who had been incarcerated in a well known New York prison," it is preposterous to suppose that defendant had .....made the Tombs his residence" In addition to plaintiff's showing of previous residence he has returned to China and it appears that he has obtained employment within the jurisdiction and intends to remain. The residential requirement would seem, therefore, to be satisfied.

It is accordingly considered and decreed that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant be and the same are hereby dissolved and that plaintiff be, and hereby is, granted a decree of absolute divorce, but no remarriage is permitted within six months from this date."

1—Acts of Congress, March 2, 1903, Secs. II, 32 U. S. Stats at Large, Ch. 972, Sec. 2, 944.

2—U.S. v. Boyd II Extraterr. 253.

3—Burton v. Burton, 74 Ga. 761; People v. Cady, 143 N. Y. 100; 37 N. E. 673.

British Ships For British Goods, Plea

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 5.—The Marquis of Linlithgow, Civil Lord of the Admiralty, in a speech at Wallsend said that Mr. Baldwin's idea in calling a conference of representatives of shipping was to consider the question that if foreigners did not allow their goods to be carried on British ships, we should not allow British goods to be carried on foreign ships.

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The tiffin which ex-captives of the Pao Tzu Ku bandits are to give for Mr. Roy Anderson on next Sunday will be given at the residence of Mr. Carl Crow, 64 Route Ghisi, instead of at the Astor House grill room, as first announced. At the tiffin Mr. Anderson, who took the leading part in securing the captives release from the bandit stronghold, will be presented with a silver plaque in appreciation of his services.

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BLASCO IBANEZ AN AMERICAN NOW, HE SAYS

Famous Author Now En Route To Shanghai

Vicente Blasco Ibanez, famous Spanish novelist, author of "Enemies of Women" and "The Four Horsemen of Apocalypse," now en route to Shanghai on the s.s. Franconia, claims he is filled with admiration for the American people. He said:

"Ah, it is refreshing and invigorating to be back in America. My admiration for this country and its people amounts to nothing short of a passion. In three years I have not ceased to talk and wirte about a nation whose millionaires give their fortunes for the advancement of mankind.

"You are the world's greatest people. At home they call me an American now."

Don Vicente talked with great animation and rapidity in Spanish, as he speaks no English, relating his future plans and recent activities.

HAS NEW ROMANCE

Of these he said:

"I have just finished a new California historical romance entitled Queen Califia. It has not yet been translated into English. It is destined for publication in Hearst's International Magazine."

Ibanez is to make a tour of the world on board the Franconia, of the Cunard Line, sailing on November 15, but he said it was not to be merely a pleasure trip. He explained that out of his observations and experiences he will write a book to be called "A Tour of the World by a Novelist." He went on:

"We are to go to the Pacific by way of the Panama Canal, which American engineering feat I am intensely interested in seeing. Then we are going to San Francisco, that marvelous city of which I have heard so much, and to Los Angeles."

Asked what American he would have liked most to meet, he replied earnestly:

"George Washington! How I wish I might have seen him! He was greater than Napoleon. I have studied his life in great detail. He was a great and noble character and worked marvels in giving form to your great nation. Great men aided him but his was the moving spirit."

GLAD OF PROHIBITION

When asked his view of American prohibition, the novelist laughed heartily and exclaimed:

"I am glad we have prohibition here. We Americans need it. We require a rest from the wine we consume in Europe. I shall get along very nicely on tea, I think. It is restful, and makes one think clearly, whereas wine is apt to have the opposite effect."

Continuing his views on America he said:

"I should be glad for you to say to the people of American how much I sincerely admire them. America has had a pronounced effect upon my life and my work and upon my ideas. I am a Spanish Republican now. You have the ideal form of goverment, certainly so far as it has worked here."

Opium Offenders Draw Jail Terms

Arrested on North Shanse Road while in possession of a wooden basket containing 11 pounds of opium, an elderly Chinese was fined $100 by Assessor Allman and Magistrate Li of the Mixed Court yesterday.

Three men arrested on Dixwell Road Wednesday and found to be in possession of three balls of opium were also before the Court yesterday, one of them being further charged with giving a $40 bribe to a Chinese police sergeant. Two were sentenced to one month's imprisonment and one was fined $10.

Two women convicted of running opium smoking dens at 417 Shantung Road were sentenced to a month in jail each and of 13 smokers arrested in the place five forfeited $5 bail each by failing to appear and the rest were fined $3 each.

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SYNOPSIS OF SCENERY

Act. I.—Edward Sherry's Studio. A morning in July.
Act II.—The Saloon of the yacht "Yvonne" same evening (View of Hudson River).
Act III.—After deck of the yacht "Yvonne" same evening (View of New York Bay and Coney Island).

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1.—"Toot-and-come-in" specially composed for this production by Mr. Mena Silas and sung by Mrs. H. D. Rodger.

2.—"Reuben Ranzo" sung by Mr. F. E. Beatty.

3.—The "Tango" in Act 3 specially produced and executed by Mr. and Mrs. Goolden.

4.—Speciality in Act 2 by Messrs. Mark Hanna. Cameron and Bowen.

Musical Director: Mr. Jack Raynes.

Business and Stage Manager: Mr. Wm. Armstrong.

The whole produced by Mr. R. W. Wingrove.

BY DOMINO

"Yvonne Sherry" made her bow to a Shanghai audience last night at the Lyceum Theater and there can be no two opinions about this "Yvonne Sherry" is a most popular little lady. Let me tell you straight away that she is in private life Miss May De Sousa. She carried the show. A capacity house took to the three hours' amusement. "Madame Sherry" ought to run for a long time, and I sincerely hope she will.

Let me tell you a little about "Yvonne." She is the center piece of a picture. She sings. She dances. She acts. She does all three to perfection. She is the most wonderful little actress that we have had in the ranks of the A. D. C. for many a long year, and even before that. I saw her in "Cinderella" some years ago at Drury Lane, London. She just ran away with her work in the name part. Last night she did the same. Miss May De Sousa is the same today as yesterday.

Two other players stood out in strong relief. C. E. Whitamore was altogether delightful. His little phrase "I'm surprised" tickled us all tremendously. His characterisation of "The Professor" was all that could be desired. He doesn't pretend to have a voice but he carries the notes through without offending the ears of the super musical. A fine performance, and we shall be glad to see "C. E." on many future occasions.

Then there was Mena Silas. He played the part of a Frenchman. He certainly made up the Big Three. It was very pleasing to hear all the words he said. He understood his character. He portrayed it. He developed the negative and it came out in strong relief.

And then there was our friend D. J. Donne. He DID. In other words he did wonderful things with poor material. I don't think anyone could do more with the part of "Edward Sherry" than Donne did. Honestly it was a thankless part. He tackled it. He won. And that brings me to the next phase.

"Madame Sherry" wasn't worthy of the talent that carried it last night. I puzzled it out for three acts. I didn't get the plot but I got the performance. I have only one growl about the show and that was the play. Everything else was topping but again—the book wasn't.

Another growl! The work in the first act was marred by the late comers. We want to hear what those clever folk on the stage have to say. This cannot be done if you have to bob up every minute in order to let some late diner pass by. Why won't these good people give up the last course and think about the comfort and enjoyment of others?

"Madame Sherry" provides delightful music. Jack Raynes knows his job and carries it.

Mr. Reginald Wingrove was the producer and he handled a big crowd in his usual manner. That means that he was able to gather a fine pack of principals and back them up with a chorus that could sing, act and look good. It is a great deal too late to go into details, but this can follow later. But it isn't too late to remark about the seenery. I understand that the first two scenes came from the brush of Mr. Peyton Griffin. Fine. And then the third scene was the result of Mr. "Bill" Armstrong's endeavors. The combined results were altogether splendid. I have lots more to say about the show but the Sun is arising in the East and I must be abed. More later.

The next performance is on Saturday. Go along and enjoy it.

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POLICE QUELL SENATE CLASH IN PHILIPPINES

Appointee Of Wood Comes To Blows With Coalition Senator

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, Dec. 6.—The police reserves were called out last night when Mr. Jose Alejandrino, Governor-General Wood's appointee to the Senate, and Mr. Vicente de Vera, a Coalition Senator, came to fisticuffs.

Senator Alejandrino, who is a veteran of the Revolution and was a comrade of Jose Rizal, has been refused recognition for two days, Mr. Quezon challenging the legality of the appointment.

The fight last night followed an alleged insult by Mr. de Vera on the floor of the Senate. Many Senators and bystanders joined in the mix-up but scattered before the arrival of the police.

Delivers Lecture On Hawaiian Islands To Clubwomen Here

Mr. George T. Armitage, director of the Hawaii Tourist Bureau, who is on an Oriental tour with Mrs. Armitage, gave an interesting talk which was illustrated by colored lantern slides at the regular meeting of the Art Section of the American Women's Club yesterday afternoon in the club rooms on Szechuen Road.

An enthusiastic audience listened to Mr. Armitage's lecture on the islands in the Hawaiian group. Following the talk, Mr and Mrs. Armitage were guests at tea.

GERMAN HOTELS CLOSE

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Dec. 5.—Dispatches from Berlin report the closing of four hotels at Wiesbaden owing to lack of patronage.

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A larger number of American ships are calling at Shanghai. According to the American Consulate-General at Shanghai during the quarter ending September 30 the total tonnage of the American entrances was 350,996 as against 323,852 for the same period last year. Of these 118 vessels comprising the total tonnage, 56 were ocean liners, 40 coming from the United States and 16 from Hongkong and ports in the South.

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News Brevities

The booking for the Italian Grand Opera Company opens at Moutrie's on Monday next, and as the season is to be but a short one music-lovers will be well-advised to book their seats early. Their opening performance of Il Trovatore will be followed by Faust, Cavalleria Rusticana and Pagliacci, Rigoletto and La Traviata.

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Messrs. L. Moore and Company announce an auction of Christmas presents in their front salesroom on Saturday morning.

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Observing two coolies on the Broadway whose clothing seemed to be unduly padded, a Chinese Constable searched them and found a quantity of cloth goods wrapped round their bodies. The cloth proved to have been stolen from the steamer Carmarthenshire and yesterday the Mixed Court sentenced one of the thieves to one month's imprisonment and the other, who had two previous convictions to his discredit, to three months.

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Two coolies convicted of stealing six pots of flowers from the Inshallah Dairy were sent to jail for two weeks by the Mixed Court yesterday.

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Dr. T. S. Miao of Shanghai College will speak at the Sunday Service League, Sunday afternoon, at the Martyrs' Memorial Hall of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. His subject will be "Twenty-four Hours a Day Religion." Mrs. John Y. Lee will render a vocal sol. Everyone is welcome.

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Mr. N. Aall, the Consul General for Norway is leaving for the South by the s.s. Angkor today. Mr. Sloveland, the Vice Consul, will be in charge of the Consulate General during Mr. Aall's absence, which will probably last for about four weeks.

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A lecture in Russian will be given at the Jewish Club "Ahduth" this evening at 9:15 p.m. by Dr. A. J. Kaufman, the official representative of the Zionist World Organisation for Siberia and the Far East, the subject being "The Jewish Songs of Affliction and Grief."

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Sixty-one traffic cases were heard by the special Traffic Branch of the Mixed Court yesterday, mostly involving infringements of a minor nature.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert M. Jackson announce the birth of a son, William Preston, at Dr. Fearn's Hospital on December 5.

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Koh Hsieh-sung, Chief of the engineering section of the Shantung Railway, was captured by bandits on Monday, according to a Tsingtao telegram.

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According to the Dah Tong News Bureau, Marshal Chi Shih-yuan of Nanking has recommended the appointment of Yen Chia-chi, Chief of the Kiangsu Financial Bureau, to some higher office.

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A conference has been held at the yamen of the Governor of Fengtien at which it was decided to establish a Bureau for Forestry Research, which will cooperate with similar institutes in Kirin and Keilungkiang.

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The foreign hostess house of the Y.W.C.A. on Yuen Ming Yuen Road will be the scene of a musical tea this afternoon at 3:30. Foreign women residents in Shanghai are invited to attend.

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The members of the sketching class of the American Women's Club will meet next Thursday at 8:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Clement, 548 Avenue Joffre. Should the weather be inclement the outdoor sketching plans will be abandoned in favor of an indoor class.

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Mr. and Mrs. George T. Armitage of the Hawaii Tourist Bureau left last night for Peking. They will be in the North for a week and, after touring Korea, will sail for Japan before returning to the Hawaiian Islands where they make their home.

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On account of the indisposition of Dr. David Z. T. Yui, general secretary of the Shanghai Y. M. C. A., he has been granted a further leave of absence for one year, during which Dr. Yui will recuperate his health in Wuchang, Hupeh.

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Miss Harriet Barket, Assistant to the Director of the P. U. M. C., is spending a few months in Chinhoza, Ningpo, before leaving for England. Miss Barket went on furlough last month.

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According to the Chung Yi News Agency, for the month of October the provinces of Szechuan, Hunan Yunnan, and Kwantung had seized salt collections to the amount of Taels 874,282 ($1,200,000). It is also reported that the group Banks have sent a communication to the Ministry of Finance informing the latter that this amount will be deducted from the salt surplus for the month of November.

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Mr. Dave M. Findlay of the Asia Banking Corporation, formerly assigned here, has arrived in Peking to take charge of that branch of the bank, succeeding Mr. Joseph Swan, who has been transferred to Hankow.

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Dr. John M. Coulter of the University of Chicago, who recently delivered a series of lectures in Nanking and Shanghai, has arrived in Peking where he will deliver a similar series.

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The Columbia School of Changchow is holding a Christmas sale of jellies, jams, pickles and other eatables under the direction of Miss Leveritt at 4 Thibet Road this afternoon.

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Major and Mrs. Chauncey B. Holcomb have gone to Peking where Mrs. Holcomb will undergo treatment at the Peking Union Medical College hospital. Major Holcomb will be away about a week.

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Mei Lan-fang, the most famous of China's actors, has arrived in Shanghai for a month's engagement at local Chinese theater.

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Miss Doris Estcourt, who formerly was connected with the P. U. M. C. is now in Yunnan visiting some friends in the Maritime Chinese Customs. Miss Estcourt is planning to leave for her home in England in the near future.

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Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Morse, Dean of the West China Union University Medical School, at Chengtu, Szechwan, is spending a few days in Peking before leaving for England. Dr. Morse has recently been appointed to a Fellowship in the London University by the China Medical Board.

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Mr. Hsu Un-yuen, formerly Governor of the Bank of China, who is now first vice-president of the Chinese-American Bank of Commerce, returned to Shanghai last Friday from a trip to Nanzing accompanied by Mrs. Hsu and Miss Ida, their daughter.

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A lecture is to be given at the World's Chinese Students' Federation, 95 Carter Road, at 8 o'clock tomorrow, by Mr. H. C. Tung, M.A. The subject of the lecture is "The Shanghai Municipality." The lecture is public and all interested in this subject are cordially invited to attend.

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Mr. George T. Armitage of the Hawaii Tourist Bureau, and Mrs. Armitage, who are making a tour of Pacific countries that has already included Australia, New Zealand and the Philippines, left last night for Peking.

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Mr. Junius B. Wood, Far Eastern correspondent for the Chicago Daily News, and Mr. Jabin Hsu of The China Press, left last night for Nanking for a short trip. They will be the guests of Mr. S. T. Wen, Commissioner for Foreign Affairs.

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The Engineering Society of China will have its opening meeting of the 1923-1924 session at 5:30 p.m. next Tuesday at the Wintergarden Cafe, Ningpo Road. The office of president will be assumed by Mr. A. W. Brankston, who will deliver his presidential address.

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A conference on railway traffic is being held at the Ministry of Communications. Decisions have been made to restrict the use of special cars, free passes and half-fare tickets issued by various military authorities.

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Mr. Lovejoy, Vice-president of the General Electric Company in charge of the commercial activities of the enterprise, is due to arrive in Shanghai from Peking tonight. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Lovejoy and Miss Shanklin. The party is touring the world and has just spent sometime in Japan.

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The Asia Development Company, Ltd., will entertain their friends to witness the two reel moving picture showing the repairing of the Yellow River Dykes, Shantung, to be screened at the Carlton Cafe on Friday evening, December 14.

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Mr. M. T. Liang, director-general of Weihaiwei Rahabilitation, has tendered his resignation and asserted that he would proceed to America to recuperate his health. Many serious charges have recently been made by the Shantung gentry against Liang in his work.

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To give employment to the many officials deprived of their work as a result of the recent Presidential Mandate, Tsao Kun proposes to establish a Disarmament Commission.

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Sir Roderick Jones, managing director of Reuters, Ltd., will sail this morning on the Nagasaki Maru for Japan. He will be accompanied by Mr. W. Turner, the Shanghai manager.

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A sale of nursery and doll furniture made by pupils of the Wusih Technical School—a part of Soochow University—will be held today and tomorrow at 4, Thibet Road, opposite the Race Course. Many delightful articles are offered and the opportunity for Christmas purchasing is one to be taken advantage of.

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Great and growing interest is being evinced in the series of public lectures of Mr. Alex. Horne, president of the Shanghai Lodge of the Theosophical Society, and the attendance at his lecture on "The Proof of Reincarnation" at the Lodge room yesterday was something like a record. So much material had Mr. Horne gathered for his lecture that it was impossible to deliver the whole of it, and by special request he consented to give the remainder, with lantern slides, on Thursday, Dec. 20, at the Lodge's new hall, 12 Rue du Consulat, near the Hotel Parisien. This will not interfere with the rest of the series, of which the next title is "Destiny," to be given on Jan. 3, this being followed by others at intervals of about a month. Intermediate lectures by other speakers will probably be announced shortly.

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Great Boxing Card On Tonight At New Carlton Garcia-Tingle In Final

Fast Scrap For Bantamweight Title Of Orient Assured; Boys To Weigh In At 118; Good Prelims

By Wesla

Tonight, at the New Carlton, there will be a program of boxing that ought to be the best ever staged here, judging by past performances of the main eventers. The principal argument will be a twelve round battle between Billy Tingle and Lenardo Garcia for the bantamweight championship of the Orient.

Tingle and Garcia have fought before, but not for a title. In their last fight Garcia was too heavy to fight as a bantam, but tonight he will enter the ring at 118 pounds, the same weight as Tingle, and as the two scrappers have promised to hit each other with everything except the ring posts it ought to be a mixup worth going a long way to see.

Both boys have been training hard for the last two weeks. Both are going to America this winter and naturally each is anxious to take a championship title with him, knowing that the possession of the title will mean much in the way of drawing capacity on the other side.

HERE ARE THE FIGURES

That the two boys will square away on practically even terms is shown by the following table of "statistics:"

Tingle		Garcia
22	Age	19
5-2	Height	5-3
63	Reach	62
34	Chest (Normal)	32½
36	Chest (Expanded)	34½
30	Waist	27
10½	Forearm	12½
11½	Bicep	10½
15	Neck	14½
7½	Wrist	5½
36	Hips	33½
19½	Thigh	18½
14	Calf	12½
8	Ankle	8¾
118 lbs	Weight	118

From these figures it will be seen that Billy has a slight advantage in some respects, but that Garcia has it on the Australian in others.

Aside from the arithmetic, these boys are both fast and clever. There is not a ring trick they do not know. Billy has fought in more than a hundred squared circle battles, and Garcia in almost as many. Both have met the fastest lads of their class in this part of the world. Both have a punch that has poison written all over it, and both know everything there is to be known about ring tactics.

In their last battle here they put up a scrap that was a treat to watch, and one that would have gone big in any boxing arena in the world. In America and England there are so-called top notchers that either of these boys could knock for a loop without half trying. There's no doubt about it: when these boys get to America they will make the natives sit up and take notice, and it would not be in the least surprising if one of them should get to the top oft he Big Heap inside of the next year or two.

GOOD BOXING

These boxing parties that Sam Davis has been pulling at the New Carlton are good—every bit as good as the wise ones on Broadway are paying ten and twenty smackers gold to look at. They are so good that the local blase squad admits, grudgingly, that they are "fair," and when that gang says they are fair you can put it down that they are hair raising. Some of those squibs are so wise that it's a wonder they don't hitch a trailer to their coattails to carry their ennui around for them. If they were to admit that anything they saw here was good it would be an inferential confession that they hadn't seen something better before they consented to honor this one egg way station by living in it—and that is a laugh, because most of them had top pockets in their pants when they got off the boat that landed them in the Whangpoo.

However, all that to one side, these scrappers are good, and if the fight fans in this town want to see something as good in its line as Caruso or Niagara Falls they can do so by the simple process of ambling out to Louie Ladow's palatial Palias de Punch this evening and grabbing off a good seat for half in Mex. of what they would pay in seeds or shillings on the other side.

AND SOME OTHERS!

And for the balance of the bill Sam has fixed up a series of embroglios which would knock anybody's hat off under ordinary circumstances.

As a semi-final there will be a duello between Kyko and Wilson, 147-pounders. They are scheduled to go six rounds, but if the going is of that length it will be some going.

Tigora, the tiger who nearly crashed Garcia into the scuppers some evenings since, is going to take on Treadwell, who has done some excellent boxing here.

Moreover, the debonair Toledo, firmly established in the affections of local fight fans, will be among those present. He appears in a four-round set-to with Battling Nefsky, the Russian whirlwind who figured in a quartet of good scraps at the Stadium.

Finally—though not in chronological order—young Joe Ching, the 100-pound juvenile walloper Sam has rather taken under his wing as a "comer," will hook up with Young Manila, also a century weight boxer of note.

If that card doesn't attract the fans, what could?

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R.G. MACDONALD NEW PRESIDENT OF GOLF CLUB

Popular Captain Elected To Succeed Dr. Ivy At Annual Meeting

Mr. R. G. MacDonald, for the past two years captain of the Shanghai Golf Club, was elected president, to succeed Dr. Ivy, at the club's annual general meeting, held last evening at the club house in the Recreation grounds. In addition to electing the new president the members voted in a new general committee, to be composed of the following. Messrs. Capt. Barrett, Atkinson, Cobb, Ferrier, Gray, Porter, MacDonald and Mossop. The new balloting committee will be composed of Messrs. E. C. Barrett, Blackburn, Deberry, Brock, Downs, Fowler, Grundy, Lester Arnold, Muriel, Melhuish, Sheridan and Woodford.

In addition to electing officers several resolutions were adopted, and provision made for doing away with the long waits at Kiangwan to tee off. To overcome this difficulty it was decided to open a book at the Recreation Ground clubhouse on Friday, in which starting times may be booked with Mr. Haves, the Secretary. Members will be given a time in the order of their arrival at the club house. This system is to be inaugurated next week.

Under this arrangement it will be possible for members to know before going to Kiangwan when they are to start, and to make their arrangements accordingly. This will make it possible to avoid the long waits at Kiangwan on Saturdays and Sundays, as is the case under the present arrangement. Another suggestion that is to be considered by the committee is that of booking times for the tenth tee, and to permit players in competitions to start from that tee, if they desire. In this way it is felt that more use can be made of the course on busy days. It was also decided to allow candidates for membership in the club to have the use of the club on week days pending their election. Those who wish to avail themselves of this privilege will have to pay the regular monthly subscription.

At the close of the meeting a hearty vote of thanks was extended to the retiring committee, on the suggestion of Mr. Fletcher, for the hard work the committeemen did in connection with buying the new links at Kiangwan.

After the meeting adjourned the members proceeded to celebrate the election of Capt. MacDonald in proper style.

S. A. S.—Yencheng Football Game To Start At 3 Sharp

The American football game between the American School eleven and the Yencheng team will be played at Nanyang field temorrow afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock, sharp. The Chinese team has been coached by James Graham, an old American college athlete, and he is said to have developed a strong team of Chinese players.

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(Reuter's Service)

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AMATEURS BEAT COLLEGIANS BY 37 TO 22 SCORE

Fast Basketball Game Played On Shanghai College Floor

BY K. S. CHANG

The basketballers of the Chinese Amateur Athletic Club defeated the Shanghai College quintet last night in a close game in the latter's gymnasium before a big crowd of college students. The score was 37 to 22.

The game was featured with some very fast passes and splendid shots. The play was clean throughout, and referee Hines, had few fouls to call.

C. G. Hoh, the center of the Amateurs, was in rare form. Missing very few tries, he was the highest scorer of the game. He had to his credit two initial goals in the first half, and five more in the second. Besides, he stuck closely to the opposing center, T. T. Zee preventing him from netting any goal.

Of other Amateurs, S. D. Yuen played brilliantly at guard. He had no fumbles during the whole game, and his passes were accurate and fast. Tyau played hard as forward, and contributed five goals.

Norman Ma starred for the collegians, and showed best form in shooting among his team-mates. Kong played hard as running guard, and "Baby" Yuen covered the floor in good style.

For about five minutes after the game commenced neither team could get any goal. Hoh made the first score and after two minutes contributed another. Then Woo scored the third one, making the score stand as 6 to 0. The collegians then woke up, and began to attack the Amateurs. Norman Ma scored their first goal from a fast pass from T. T. Zee. The game then went on in a saw-saw style until the interval when the score read 13 to 8, with the ultimate winners on the long end.

The second half opened with the homesters going strong. Chang, their forward, netted two successive baskets in making the score at 13 to 12, but C. G. Hoh stepped forward and saved the game by netting two successive baskets. D. M. Woo then also added two, and as a result, the Amateurs jumped to a big lead which was never again threatened.

The summaries:

C. H. Tyau	l.f.	Norman Ma
D. M. Woo	r.f.	T. S. Chang
C. G. Hoh	c.	T. T. Zee
S. Y. Loch & P. K. Lee	l.g.	S. C. Kong
S. D. Yuen	r.g.	John Yuen

Goals from fouls: Tyau 1.

Goals from floor: Hoh 7, Tyau and Ma 5, Woo 4, Chang and Kong 3, Loch and Lee 1.

Referee: Hines. Timers: Tai and Zau. Scorer: Chang.

ALL-WHITE ALL-BLACK GAME

The All-Whites won their sixth straight win last night in the Chinese "Y" gymnasium. Although the Blacks led the score during the first half, the Whites evened up in the second half and defeated them by 7 points. Dr. Gray refereed the game.

Following is the present standing of the Chinese League:

	W.	L.	Pc.
All-Whites	6	0	1000
Fuh Tan	3	1	750
St. John's	3	2	600
Amateurs	3	3	500
Shanghai College	0	4	000
All-Blacks	0	5	000

Squires Five Tops Bowside By 82 To 6

The basketball quintet representing the Squires Bingham Co. defeated the Bowside five in a one-sided game yesterday afternoon at the Rowing Club. The score was 82 to 6.

The unerring shots and fast play of the Squires team bewildered the Bowside players, and although the latter tried hard the forwards of the winning team piled up their count with a steady succession of goals. Hines, the center, had to his credit 13 baskets. Shipley tied Dud Squires with a dozen each. Hirsh and Mitchell at guard also exhibited some splendid interference to the opposing forwards. Roy Squires played only part of the game at guard because of a sore foot.

Of the three goals, for the Bowside Pollock scored two, and the third was made by Dodd. Pollock was the outstanding player of the losers. The Bowside five lacked practice, and their inability to shoot was their great handicap.

The summaries:

Shipley	l.f.	Dodd
Squires	r.f.	Pollock
Hines	c.	Henry
Mitchell	l.g.	MacCaullum
Hirsh	r.g.	Fuxman

Goals Hines 13, Shipley and Squires 12, Mitchell 2, Roy Squires 1, Pollock 2 Dodd 1.

Referee: Goldman, Scorer:

Joe Lynch Still Bantam Champ

Norfolk, Dec. 4.—Joe Lynch retained his title of bantamweight champion of the world today by knocking out Middie Coulon, of New Orleans, in the third round of what was to have been a 12 round bout. The champion's superiority was so great that the New Orleans boy scarcely laid a glove on him.

Pittsburg, Dec. 4.—After 13 rounds of fast and furious fighting, Harry Greb won the judges' decision over Bryan Downey here today.

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(Whites) H. J. Stevenson, C. Lawson, R. E. L. Beardsworth, J. Shaw, J. R. Milligan W. D. Neil, G. T. Thach, D. W. Leach, E. A. Jenkinson, E. H. C. Lamb, G. H. Mann, J. L. Wilson, C. C. Roberts, A. E. Nobbins, and E. J. Dowley.

Sides to be chosen from Messrs. D. G. R. Beynon, L. M. Bell, T. A. T. Begg, G. M. Cameron, A. G. P. Dewing, W. Howells, R. M. Howells, R. C. Johnson, R. Jacquelin G. Kliene, P. W. F. Mills, C. W. Miller, H. K. Metcalf, W. McClatchie, H. C. Pedersen, L. P. Raih, R. L. Stewart, C. Steckmest, G. R. Stempe, J. A. Thompson, L. H. Thorn, L. G. Westcott, W. Wright, and Others.

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Catholic Association Holds General Meeting Of Members

A well-attended Extraordinary General Meeting of members of St. Joseph's Catholic Association was held in the club rooms at 15 Avenue Edward VII on Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Harold C. Norman, President of the Association, presiding.

The Reverend Father McDonald, S. J., formerly of Montreal, was present in his new capacity of Spiritual Director, to which office he has been appointed by the Right Reverend P. Paris, Bishop of Silando, Patron of the Association. Father McDonald delivered a most inspiring address, promising his full support, and outlining his plans for the religious activities of the Association.

The President spoke at some length regarding the present position and prospects of the Association, and announced that, as the lease of the present premises, occupied for three years expired at the end of the year, new and more commodious quarters had been secured; these were only a stone's-throw from the present building. He then proposed a resolution by which the Constitution would be changed to permit of the President, Vice-President and Executive Council being elected by the members instead of being appointed to their respective offices; the resolution would also consolidate the present two classes of membership into one. This resolution was seconded by the Vice-President, Mr. C. J. White, and carried without dissent.

A resolution was next proposed by the Vice-President, seconded by the President, and carried, to the effect that all the present officers of the Association resign and a ballot forthwith be held for the election of a new President Vice-President and Executive Council This was carried after some discussion, and immediately afterwards the new officers were appointed the old officials being reelected and four additional members of the Council selected.

The personnel of the governing body of the Association is now as follows: Rev. Father McDonald, S. J., Spiritual Director; Mr. Harold C. Norman, President; Mr. Charles J. White, Vice-President; Messrs. C. T. Biggin, P. Cassidy, J. Egan, J. F. Feely, P. J. Keating, J. Naylor, J. Thomson and W. A. White, members of the Executive Council. These gentlemen were elected to serve until the date of the annual general meeting in 1925. A secretary and treasurer are to be appointed at the first meeting of the new Council on Wednesday, December 12.

Remit Sentences Of Bank Clerks Who Embezzled

Sentence of one year's imprisonment was remitted by Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Kwan of the Mixed Court yesterday in the case of two young clerks of the American Oriental Bank who were charged with misappropriating $3,000 of the bank's funds, through falsification of the books.

Detective Sub-Inspector Hunter gave the facts of the case to the Court and stated that the accused had been arrested on the previous day.

Mr. W. S. Fleming, appearing for the bank, stated that the clerks had confessed to the theft and that their fathers had made good the loss. In view of this the bank did not wish to press the matter too strongly and he suggested that if sentence were passed it be suspended.

The Court agreed, sentencing the two to one year's imprisonment, to be remitted, and the accused to sign bonds for their future good be havior.

Opium Is Seized, Four Arrested In Peking Road Shop

Over twenty pounds of opium, a large amount of money and a mass of documents believed to relate to opium sales were seized by the police yesterday afternoon in the course of a raid on a shop in Peking Road. Four Chinese were arrested and will appear in the Mixed Court today.

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All Confident On Eve Of Election

(Continued from Page 1)

and sleet is forecast and it is believed that this will lessen the Tory poll while not affecting the Labor vote to the same extent.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 5.—Mr. Lloyd George, who today wound up the Liberal campaign in London by a great meeting at Camberwell in support of Dr. Macnamara and other Liberal candidates for South London and subsequently proceeded to speak at Brighton, has sent a message to the London electors declaring that London, the greatest city of the world, is in danger. "She lives by trade," the message added, "as no other city of the world lives by it and if trade is to grow, it must be free." Tariffs would deal a deadly blow at the work and wages of the citizens of London.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 5—Some of the most interesting electoral struggles center on the 34 women candidates, who are fighting most strenuously though mostly in forlorn hopes. They are speaking repeatedly, dealing vigorously with male hecklers and touring wide constituencies. Their determination is evidenced by the remark of one woman candidate: "I will carry on until the eve of the poll even though I go to bed for six weeks."

The Liberal candidate, Captain Robson, is opposed at Berwick by two ladies. Mrs. Penny (Labor) is the most talented orator of the three but Mrs. Philipson (Conservative) evidently counts much on her personal charm and popularity to return to Westminster.

The Conservatives are hoping to turn out Mrs. Wintringham (Liberal) at Louth through the influence of the Government's subsidy scheme amongst the agricultural population, but Mrs. Wintringham is gaining an attentive hearing, telling women voters that tariffs would mean higher prices.

The Duchess of Atholl, in spite of a snow storm, is conducting a three-weeks whirlwind campaign in the Kinross division.

Lady Astor is making social reform her principal plank in a fight marked by high feeling at Plymouth. It is expected that she will retain her seat in spite of a vigorous Labor attack.

The Unionist, Dame Helen Vaughan, is considered to have the best chance of all the women newscomers, against the Labor candidate, Mr. Ammon, at Camberwell.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 5.—Further election rowdyism is reported today.

The Conservative candidate at Newport, Monmouth, Mr. R. J. Clarry, and his wife were surrounded by a hostile crowd in the locks district last night and stones and mud were thrown at them. Mrs. Clarry was struck by the mud and kicked on the leg and is unable to leave her hotel today.

Lady Eustace Percy was badly injured last night after a meeting at Hastings in support of her husband. A crowd of rowdies in the hall interrupted Lord Eustace Percy's speech. A broken cup was thrown at the platform, narrowly missing the chairman's face but striking Lady Eustace Percy on the side. After the meeting a dense crowd surrounded Lord Eustace Percy's car, and in the confusion his wife's right arm was jammed in the door of the car and badly bruised. The crowd jeered and shouted as the car drove off.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 12.—Mr. Baldwin in a polling day manifesto appeals to his fellow countrymen and countrywomen to support him in the fight against unemployment. "I ask this for your own sake and for the sake of the rising generation."

Mr. Lloyd George, speaking at Brighton, said that he was prepared to work as he had worked before with anyone who, he thought, was doing his best to serve the country's interests. There was no country in Europe that paid such high wages as England. There was only one country in Europe that paid wages coming anywhere near those paid in England and that was Holland which was a free trade country.

Lord Kylsant in a speech at Southampton said that it was impossible for any businessman to ignore the fact that the tariff walls of foreign countries were steadily rising against Britain throughout the world. One foreign country had in addition prohibited British steamers from trading between ports on its coast. If the Chilian law had not been passed, his company would have been building new modern vessels to replace old steamers, thereby employing a large number of additional workmen in British shipyards. Any suggestion that the Conservatives were seeking to introduce proposals calculated to undermine the country's vital shipping supremacy could be dismissed as absurd.

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Dec. 5.—England's decision in the general election tomorrow will begin to be known in the small hours of Friday morning. It is expected that by that time returns will be in on the contests in London. The returns from the provinces and Scotland will not be known until Friday afternoon.

The opinion still prevails on the eve of the election that the Conservatives will manage to pull through with a small plurality up in Parliament. Great doubts are expressed, however, that this will be sufficient to constitute an endorsement of the Baldwin cabinet when the Protectionist discussions are taken

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The Jefferson brings 2,314 sacks of mail, a full list of passengers and 2,000 tons of cargo for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila next Tuesday.

Following the consignment of European mail which arrived on the Khiva yesterday morning, the next mail from Europe is due on the M.M. steamer Paul Lecat next Tuesday. The Khiva docked at the Hongkew Wharf, and the Lecat is expected to leave Hongkong at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and docks at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf Tuesday morning.

Mail for Europe will be dispatched on the Angkor this morning, closing at 8 o'clock The Angkor will sail for Marseilles via ports from the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf at 11 o'clock this morning. The P. and O liner Devanha will leave Shanghai for London next Tuesday, and the tender with passengers for the vessel is to leave the Customs jetty at noon.

Fight On Premier Still On At Peking

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 3.—In Parliamentary circles it is stated that Mr. Wu Ching-lian, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, proposes issuing the agenda for a meeting of the House to be called for Friday to vote upon the nomination of Mr. Sun Pao-chi as Premier, but that the "Neutrals" are endeavoring to persuade him not to do so pending a compromise.

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Peking, Dec. 6.—President Tsao Kun having addressed a communication to the Lower House urging an early vote to be taken on the nomination of Mr. San Pao-chi as Premier failing which he would be obliged to appoint him Shuli Premier, the House of Representatives met this afternoon under the chairmanship of Mr. Wu Ching Hsi. Two postponements were made in the hope of obtaining a quorum, but finally the House adjourned at three o'clock, when there were only 202 Members present.

German Unemployed Clash With Police

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Dec. 5.—Dissatisfied with their relief allowance, unemployed, reinforced by colliers, today attempted to storm the town hall of Wanne, attacking the police with stones and revolvers. The police returned the fire. Seven of the attackers were killed and 30 wounded. French troops later restored order.

DAIRY MAN FINED

For selling milk which was found by the Health Department to be adulterated, Phen Sz-zung, proprietor of the Foh Hyung Dairy, was fined $50 by Assessor Allman and Magistrate Li in the Mixed Court yesterday. He was warned that his license will be cancelled if he is charged again.

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(Exclusive China Press)

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No Word Is Heard Of Bandit Captive

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 3.—The whereabouts of the American missionary, Dr. Schmalzried, belonging to the Applied Evangelical Association station located at Tungjen in Hunan, who was captured by brigands in November, are still unknown, no communication having been received from him nor from his captors relative to ransom.

Obituary

M. NIERMEYER

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5.—The death is announced from Holland of the well-known geographer, M. Niermeyer, Professor of the University of Utrecht. The Dutch scientist, who during the war defended the Allied cause in the Telegraf of Amsterdam and took part in the founding of the Holland-France Committee, was a Chevalier of the Legion d'Honneur.

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Mr. D.E. Douty Addresses Rotarians On Business And Professional Ethics

"Rotary's business and professional ethics" was the subject of an interesting paper read by Mr. D. E. Douty, head of the United States Testing House, Inc., yesterday before a closed meeting of the Shanghai Rotary Club held at the Astor House. Mr. George T. Armitage, who is touring the Orient in the interest of the Tourist Bureau of Hawaii, brought the greetings of the Honolulu Rotary Club and gave a vivid description of development of Rotary in Australia, New Zealand and other Oriental countries.

Mr. S. D. Ren, chairman of the Public Welfare Committee, recommened a contribution of $800 to be given to two needy local institutions for Christmas entertainments. After a discussion the meeting, upon motion by Mr. F. J. Raven, unanimously passed a resolution, leaving the work of distribution entirely to the discretion of the committee under Mr. Ren. Mr. W. J. Hawkings, chairman of the club, presided.

The text of Mr. Douty's speech follows:

"In presenting a paper to you upon Rotary's business and professional ethics I find myself embarassed by the extent and possibilities of the subject. There is within the subject ample material and variety of ideas to form numerous independent theses and to occupy this club profitably at several meetings.

"Being one of a series of papers initated by our educational committee I have assumed that it was the desire of the committee to treat the subject in such a manner as to carry out the duties of the committee to educate the members as to the accepted meaning, purpose, responsibilities and limitations of Rotary.

"I therefore propose for a few minutes to assume the role of the teacher. By so doing I may also enjoy ome of his prerogatives such as the assumption, First, that you know as little about the subject as I did when asked to discuss it; Second, that I can "Crib" as extensively from noted authorities as the average college professor usually does.

"The first is based upon the principle that those who are familiar with all the facts will profit by hearing them repeated and those who are not familiar certainly should have them. The second can only be justified by the fact that such splendid men as Harris, Sheldon, Havens, McCullough, Gundaker etc. have expressed the ideas which I wish to bring out, so much more clearly and forcefully than I can, that I have absorbed their statement verbatim.

In this connection we might properly define ethics as 'the principles of morally right and wrong conduct and character as applied in a given set of circumstance, mode of life or calling such as ordinary business and professional activities."

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ROTARY PLATFORM

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"The Rotary Club demands fair dealings, honest methods and high standards in business. No obligation, actual or implied, to influence business exists in Rotary. Election to membership therein is an expression of confidence of the Club in the member elected, and of its good will towards him. As his business is an expression of himself he is expected actively to represent it.

"Membership in the Rotary Club is a privilege and an opportunity and its responsibility demands honest and efficient service for one's fellows. Service is the basis of all business.

"He profits most who serves best. It is evident that this statement of Rotary's business and professional ethics was too general and too abridged to cover more than the general declaration of principles. At the Buffalo Convention in 1913 a committee was authorized to codify the existing principles and practices of Rotary and then prepare a code of business ethics for Rotarians.

At the Houston Convention in 1914 this committee of which J. R. Perkins of Sioux City, Iowa, was chairman, presented its report in the form of a drafted code, which was discussed and allowed to lay over for consideration by the individual clubs during the year. It was adopted with slight modifications at the San Francisco Convention in 1915.

"The Rotary Platform" adopted in 1911, outlines the principles, purposes and scope of the Rotary Club as an organization, while the code of ethics adopted four years later sets forth the principles and practices fundamental in the relationships between individual Rotarians."

CODE OF ETHICS

Adopted by the Sixth Annual Convention of the International Association of Rotary Clubs at San Francisco, July 19-23, 1915:

My business standards shall have in them a note of sympathy for our common humanity. My business dealings, ambitions and relations shall always cause me to take into consideration my highest duties as a member of society. In every position in business life, in every responsibility that comes before me, my chief thought shall be to fill that responsibility and discharge that duty so when I have ended each of them I shall have lifted the level of human ideals and achievements a little higher than I found it. As a Rotarian it is my duty:

FIRST: To consider my vocation worthy, and as affording me distinct opportunity to serve society.

SECOND: To improve myself, increase my efficiency, enlarge my service, and by so doing attest my faith in the fundamental principle of Rotary, that he profits most who serves best.

THIRD: To realize that I am a business man and ambitious to succeed; but that I am first an ethical man, and wish no success that is not founded on the highest justice and morality.

FOURTH: To hold that the exchange of my goods, my service and my ideas for profits is legitimate and ethical, provided that all parties in the exchange are benefited thereby.

FIFTH: To use my best endeavors to elevate the standards of the vocation in which I am engaged, and so to conduct my affairs that others in my vocation may find it wise, profitable and conducive to happiness to emulate my example.

SIXTH: To conduct my business in such a manner that I may give a perfect service equal to or even better than my competitor, and when in doubt to give added service beyond the strict measure of debt or obligation.

SEVENTH: To understand that one of the greatest assets of a professional or of a business man is his friends and that any advantage gained by reason of friendship is eminently ethical and proper.

EIGHTH: To hold that true friends demand nothing of one another and that any abuse of the confidence of friendship for profit is foreign to the spirit of Rotary, and in violation of its Code of Ethics.

NINTH: To consider no personal success legitimate or ethical which is secured by taking unfair advantage of certain opportunities in the social order that are absolutely denied others, nor will I take advantage of opportunities to achieve material success that others will not take because of the questionable morality involved.

TENTH: To be not more obligated to a Brother Rotarian than I am to every other man in human society; because the genius of Rotary is not in its competition, but in its cooperation; for provincialism can never have a place in an institution like Rotary, and Rotarians assert that Human Rights are not confided to Rotary Clubs, but are as deep and as broad as the race itself; and for these high purposes does Rotary exist to educate all men and all institutions.

ELEVENTH: Finally believing in the universality of the Golden Rule, ALL THINGS WHATSOEVER YE WOULD THAT MEN SHOULD DO UNTO YOU, DO YE EVEN SO UNTO THEM, we contend that Society best holds together when, equal opportunity is awarded all men in the natural resources of this planet.

"As a part of the evolution of the Rotary Platform and The Rotary Code of Ethics a strong standing Committee on Business Methods was organized and some of the largest men in Rotary International have served as its Chairman. Resolution No. 20 of the St. Louis meeting proposed to change the name to Business Ethics Committee but the resolution was withdrawn. The work of this committee has become so important that the St. Louis Convention passed the following resolution.

"It is Resolved——that in the preparation of the program for the coming year what is known as Rotary's Business Methods work shall be made the basic element of such program, including both the adoption of ethical codes of standard practice in all lines of business and the betterment of relations between employer and employees".

——In speaking of the "Aims and Accomplishments of our Business Methods Program, Pres. Ray Havens said at St. Louis:

"In the first pace, most clubs have held at least two special Business Methods meeting. Some have found these meetings so profitable that they are now devoting at least one luncheon meeting each month to discussion of Business Methods.

" Your International Committee, through the Secretary's Office has given code-writing assistance to the members or officers of nearly seventy associations. Eleven different associations have adopted codes of standards of correct practice as a result of Rotarian effort during the past year. Three more associations have splendid codes developed and ready for adoption.

The Business Methods Committee for the Association of Great Britain and Ireland reports that, as a result of Rotarian effort, a proposed code for wholesale grocers has been developed. This is particularly encouraging when we consider that active code-writing has not been a part of the Business Methods Program of Great Britain and Ireland.

"In opening his remarks, Pres. Havens said:

"Why does Rotary International aim to promote the writing of codes practice, or the reviging of old codes? Is business today any different from business of the past? Are the element principles, "Be Honest" and "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you," insufficient for present-day needs?

"The answer is almost self-evident. The relation of seller and buyer, which, in the past, comprehended practically all of the business methods, is but one of the many relations existing in business today. The relation between employer and employee; the relation between the business and those from whom purchases are made; the relation between certain businesses and interlocking professions; as for instance the druggist with the doctor; the relation between fellowcraftsmen; the relation between the business and the purchasing public—all these are common to business today.

"Each added relation multiplies the difficulties of correct business methods, and it often requires hard thinking to decide whether a business action is right or wrong. The subject is also complicated by trade customs, many of which have been practiced for so long a time that few ever inquire as to their ethical correctness.

"A written code of standards of correct practice helps men to think clearly and correctly, and to act honorably. A craft code serves as a guage for the public, to determine the craft attitude toward correct business practice. It likewise helps to raise the standing of the craft in the business world, and does much to gain the confidence, good will and favorable consideration of the public.

"The writing of an adequate code is not complex, if we but remember that in business we really have just four points of contact which need to be kept in good working order and for which we need to set down definite rules for ethical guidance.

"As charity is said to begin at home, so, first of all, every business has an inside or domestic problem—*the contact of the management with its employees.* The other three contacts are outside contacts—*the contact with one's competitors*, or *at least with those from whom purchases are made; and the contact with those to whom sales are made.*

"Codes of correct practices are merely rules of procedure by which these vital points of contact shall be kept clean and properly adjusted so that the current of service may ebb and flow freely in the performance of its daily tasks.

"Now, why am I talking here on this subject? Is it merely because, as your president, I am trying to stand by a committee who thought they had a big idea? No, it is not that. Men, it is because, I have tested the idea in my own business and I have found that it yield satisfactory profits, both in happiness and in material

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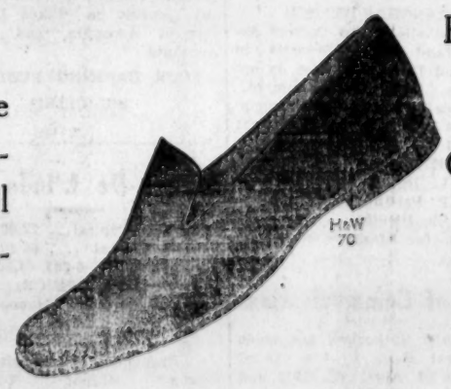

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Meteorological Report

December 7, 1923.
Sun rises today at 6.45
Sun sets today at 16.57

SICAWEI

	Dec. 4. 16 h.	21 h.	Dec. 5. 4 h.	9 h.
Barometer (inches)	30.43	30.46	30.40	30.43
(variation for 24 hours	—0.12	—0.16	—0.16	—0.16
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hours	—0.13	—0.13	—0.03	—0.03
Wind—Direction	ESE	ESE	ESE	ESE
Wind—Miles per hour	11.2	9.3	12.4	1.2
Temperature (Fahr.)	52°7	42°6	40°3	4987
Humidity %	57	90	96	79
Nebulosity (0-10)	6	0	0	8
Rainfall, inches	—	—	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT
December 4.

	Mean 1923.	24 hrs. variation.	Previous average (50 yrs.) same period.
Temperature (Min. 33°1)	30.51	—0.09	30.32
Temperature (Min. 34°0)			
(Fahr.) (Max. 60°8)	47°7	+2°3	45°4
Rainfall since January 1 (ending midnight)	39.83	0.00	44.40

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Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
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Reserves ..... Silver $150,000
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Japan Offers Aid To All Risk Firms

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Dec. 5.—The text of the proposed fire insurance subsidy bill has been published. It is accompanied by a statement by the Minister of Agriculture and Commerce to the effect that the Government is prepared to extend the same assistance to foreign insurance companies should they adopt the policy of payment of 10 percent of the claims for compensation.

The Government's advance is expected to reach Yen 150,000,000 to Yen 160,000,000.

Poincare Speaks Of Foreign Loans

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5—A joint meeting of the Finance and Foreign Affairs Committees today heard a statement by the Premier on the bills authorising loans of Francs 400,000,000 to Poland, Francs 300,000,000 to Jugo-Slavia and Francs 100,000,000 to Rumania.

Launch Services

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the P. and O. s.s. Soudan, for Bombay will leave the Customs jetty at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, December 11, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the P. and O. s.s. Devanha, for London will leave the Customs Jetty at noon.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on December 4, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	12-30
Mutton	"	12-26
Pork	"	20-30
Veal	"	24-28
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-26
Cod	"	12-20
Mandarin	"	30-40
Mackerel	"	30-40
Pomfret	"	30-40
Salmon	"	25-30
Samli	"	none
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	30-40
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.50-$3.00
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	20-25
Hare	each	35-40
Partridge	"	50-60
Pheasant	"	80-$1.00
Geese	"	$1.20-$1.50
Plover	"	none
Pigeons	"	20-22
Quail	"	15-20
Snipe	"	15-20
Teal	"	15-20
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	50-80
Wild Duck	"	40-45
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	12-15
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	20-25
Bananas	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	14-15
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	20-25
Grape fruit	each	none
Lemons	"	5-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	per lb.	12-15
Peaches	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	none
Pears	"	14-16
Peeboes	"	None
Plums	"	" none
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	"	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	18-20
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
French Beans	"	14-16
Cabbages	each	5-10
Celery	per bunch	10-12
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	20-30
Egg Plant	per lb.	none
French Beans	"	14-16
Green Corn	"	none
Peas	"	10-12
Leeks	per bunch	4-5
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$2.00-$2.40
Radishes	per punch	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	4-6
Spinach	"	3-4
Tomatoes	"	6-8
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.00
Flour Shanghai	"	$2.80
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.30
Barley	"	$4.10
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$12.00
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.30
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	13.75
House Coal	"	15-75

H. Klinch,
Chief Inspector.

Weather Report

Dec. 5.—The anticyclone continues to advance eastwards and prevails all over the Sea of Japan. The southern depression crosses Luzon by the South of Manila and proceeds westward across the China Sea. Variable breezes along the North coast; fresh winter monsoon in the Formosa Strait moderate cyclonic winds in the depression. Fine day in China, with milder temperature; weather overcast or rainy in the Philippines and Indo-China.

Dec. 6.—Weather overcast and milder; little rain begins at 8h. 30m. a.m. The pressure is slowly falling. Moderate breezes of the Northeastern quadrant.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,062½ B
Chartered	£19¼ S.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$670 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$236 B.
Yangtsze	H.$25½ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$136 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$510 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$143½
Indo-China Pref.	H. $33½ B.
"Shell"	79/6
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 77 S.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21¼
Oriental Cons.	12/-
Rand	$5.10 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$151B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 90 S.
New. Eng. Works	Tls. 6½ B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.30 S.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 185 S.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$154 S.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land.	Tls. 122 B.
Shanghai Land.	Tls. 122 S.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 12 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 113
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5½ B.
Shanghai Cotton	Old 76 New 51
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$234 B.
Green Island	Tls. 25.30 B
Langkats	Tls. 34¼ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 90 S.
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Tls. 6.90 B.
Llewelyn	Tls. 35 B.
Lane Crawford	Tls. 103½ B.
Mourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$21½ B.
Weeks	$11 S.
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 7 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50 S.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.70 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2.90
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 1.05 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.65 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.10 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.10 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Cheng	Tls. 1.35 B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.85
Dominion	Tls. 2.10 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13½ B.
Kajaying	Tls. 12¾ B.
Karan	Tls. 7
Kedah	Tls. 1.30
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.05 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 13½ B.
Padang	Tls6½ S.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.32½
Permata	Tls. 3½ S.
Repah	Tls. 0.95 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.85 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1.20
Semambu	Tls. 1.30 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.10 B.
S'hai Kiebang	Tls. 0.60
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 4 B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.85 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.40 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 3¼ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 7¾ B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.80
Tulping	Tls. 0.77½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.75 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.45 B.
Tiangbes	Tls. 3½ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & B. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 176¼
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 41 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 73 S.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

B. Sellers, Ss. Sales, S. Buyers

PARIS-LONDON RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Dec. 5—The Paris London cross rate is quoted today at £1 81.145 francs.

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Money Exchange

Shanghai, December 6, 1923

Mex. Dollar market rate 72.3625
Native Interest 17
Copper Cash 250.000
Shanghai Gold Bar 329.80
Bar Silver 33⅞
Bank rate of Discount 4%
Paris on London $1.05
New York on London ... 438⅝
London—
Telegraph Transfer ... 3/3
Demand 3/3⅛
New York—
Telegraphic Transfer ... 71½
Demand 71⅝

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London T.T. 3/3
London Demand 3/3⅛
London 4 ms. 3/3¼
India T.T. 226¾
France T.T. 1305
America T.T. 71½
Hongkong T.T. 70¾
Japan T.T. 67½
Batavia T.T. 192½
Straits T.T. 72½

BANKS BUYING RATES

London 4 m-s. Credits.... 3/3
London 4 m-s. Docts 3/5¼
London 6 m-s. Credits ... 3/5½
London 6 m-s. Docts. ..... —
France 4 m-s. 1385
America 4 m-s. L/c. 75
Docs. 75½

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 74=Tls. 135.14
@ exch. 72.6=Mex. $186.14
Sovereign: Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 4⅝d.=Tls. 5.89
@ exch. 72.6=Mex. $8.11

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR DECEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.61 @ 3/2⅝ £1
Hk. Tls. 1.28 @ 70⅜ Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 1260½ Fr. 14.04
Hk. Tls. 1 @ — Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 69½ Yen 1.60
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 225⅝ Rupees 2.51
Hk. Tls. 1 @ — Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 1.50 Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1 @ 15⅞ Ital. Lire 17.68

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CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 72½
Demand buying on America 74
Demand selling on London 3/3½
Demand buying on London 3/4¾

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 575,000 ..... Tls. 106
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Bank's Selling Rates

It. Lire 16.20=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 4.04=1 Tael
It. Lire 10.80=1 Yen

Chinese Government Bonds
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Wednesday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93 X.D.	93 X.D.
5th Year 6%	54.50	54.50
7th Year 6%	48.10	48.10
9th Year 6%	66.60	66.40
6% Consolidated	49.00	49.10
7% Consolidated	55.50	55.20
11th Year 8%	97.00	97.00
96 Millions 8%	14.40	14.30

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, December 6, 1923

OFFICIAL

Explorations Tls. 15.00 March
Chemors Tls. 1.12½ Dec.

UNOFFICIAL

Chemors Tls. 1.12½ Cash
Chemors Tls. 1.20 March
Chemors Tls. 1.22½ March
Langkats (Single) Tls. 14.50 Mar.
Shanghai Loans Tls. 7.02½ Cash
Samagagas Tls. 0.85 Cash
Semambus Tls. 1.40 March

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Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

December 6, 1923

Spot bar silver was down ⅛d. and forward ⅛d. in London yesterday. The New York price advanced to 64⅝ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 439½.

The only changes in our official quotations here today were a rise in the Gold Dollar rate to 71½ and a drop in the Yen rate to 67½.

Our market here today at the opening was steady but became firm in the course of the day, particularly for Gold Dollars and Yen.

In the early part of the morning some business in Sterling was done at 3s. 3½ for near delivery, 3s. 3⅛d. December and 3s. 3⅝d. January. Gold Dollars were done at 72¼ for near delivery, 71½ December and 70½ for January.

At the close, however, there were sellers of Sterling at 3s. 3⅜d. for near delivery, 3s. 3⅛d. December and 3s. 3⅝d. January.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 72½ for near delivery, 71⅜ December and 70⅜ January. Yen here were very weak indeed today, banks being disinclined to buy almost at any price.

At the close of the market there were sellers at 65½ for near delivery, 66¼ December and 67 January.

Banks were quoting 3s. 4⅜d. and 74 for Sterling and Gold Dollar bills for near delivery.

For January there were buyers at 3s. 3½d. and 72½ and for forward deliveries buyers at 3s. 3d. and 72. There were buyers of Franc bills at 1350 for near delivery and 1340 for forward.

China sold silver in London yesterday and the market is reported as closing steady. New York report their market as firm.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

Today's Quotations

Shanghai, December 6, 1923

OFFICIAL

H. & S. Banks $1,065.00
S.M.C. 7% Debs. 1922 Tls. 105.50
S. & H. Wharf Tls. 185.00 Dec.
Java Consolidated Tls. 14.50 Mar.
Tebongs Tls. 1.45
Bukits Tls. 1.17½ March
Java Consolidated Tls. 14.00
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.90 Dec.
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 12.65 Mar.
S.M.C. 6% Debs. 1908 Tls. 100.00
Telephones Tls. 72.00

UNOFFICIAL

Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 12.10
Oriental Cotton Tls. 5.50
Langkats Comb. Tls. 37.25 Mar.
Shanghai Tugs (Ord.) Tls. 75.00
Dominions Tls. 2.10
S.M.C. 7% Debs. 1922 Tls. 105.50

Tramways Returns

The following is the traffic return of the Shanghai Tramways, foreign Settlement, for the week ended December 5, 1923, with figures for the corresponding week last year.

	1923
Gross receipts	$77,545.90
Loss by currency depreciation	$33,546.80
Effective receipts	$43,999.10
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	44.57
Car miles run	114,643
Passengers	2,650,659
	1922
Gross receipts	$72,213.22
Loss by currency depreciation	29,564.19
Effective receipts	$42,649.03
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	42.54
Car miles run	113,306
Passengers	2,538,817

Uncalled For Mail

Mail matter addressed to the following in care of the American Consulate-General, Shanghai, remained uncalled for on November 30, 1923.

Ames, Kirk L.
Anderson, Alex
Andrews, P. A.
Armsby, Gordon
Ash, Capt. George
Austin

Baker, C.
Baker, D.
Berg, Karl
Bish, Ethel
Brewster J. Beveridge
Brown, B.
Brown, B. F.
Brown, L.
Bunch, W. L.

Campbell, Helen B.
Castle, H.
Cavanough, A.
Chapin, Albert C.
Church, Ruby J.
Collins, A. A.
Constantine, E. H.
Cooney, T. Ledger
Crolly, Harbert

Dallas, H. L.
Daily, K.
Daily, R.
Davis, Clara
Dean, F. E.
Demming, Major Derrill
Derby, George A.

Fitzpatrick, John E.

Gaul, Earle O.
Georges, E. T.
Grady, Mathew
Grubert, William
Guzman, Pedro A.

Harrell, Otho
Hayes, William E.
Hays, Leo
Healey, James M.
Hillman, A. A.
Hirsch, Harry
Holt, D.
Houston, J. B.
Hsin, Ha Tze
Hull, H. J. & Co.
Hull, M. V.
Husk, Rev. Mr.
Hyland, J. J.

Jacobson, F. S.
Johnson, Bernice
Johnson, T. Neal
Jolly, M. C.

Kelly, Jas.
Kin-Cade
Kundson, Waldemar

La Brance, W.
Lahashaka H.
Lake, Doris
Lane, L. B.
Linn, William J.
Lynch, E.

Marsh, Ernest L.
McNabb, D. I.
McVay, Sylvester T.
Mill, John B.
Miller, W. C.
Moore, W. G.
Muchlenbruch, C. T.
Murdock, Frank C.

Olsen, E. D.

Palmares, Elesio
Parker, William
Parsons, J. A.
Parrish, Delbert

Reynolds, H. A.
Rice, Watson W.
Robinson, Catherine

Sammons, Cecil
Sammons, C. E.
Seidler, R. D.
Shanghai, Geo. A.
Singian, Dr.
Smith, E. L.
Stanley, George Parks
Steward, John C.

Thomstorff, J. F.
Towers, E. S.
Towers, E. S.
Tuyler, A. W.

United Trading Development Company.

Veney, John Irvin

Waddell, St. John
Watson, George
Webb, Charles H.
Wheeler, Marjorie
Whittaier, W.
Williams, Edward T.
Woodard, Granville O.
Wright, J. W.

Yok, K. Z.
Young, C. K.
Yuen, K. K.

Zimmermann, Dr. Jean Turner
Zimmermann, W. H.
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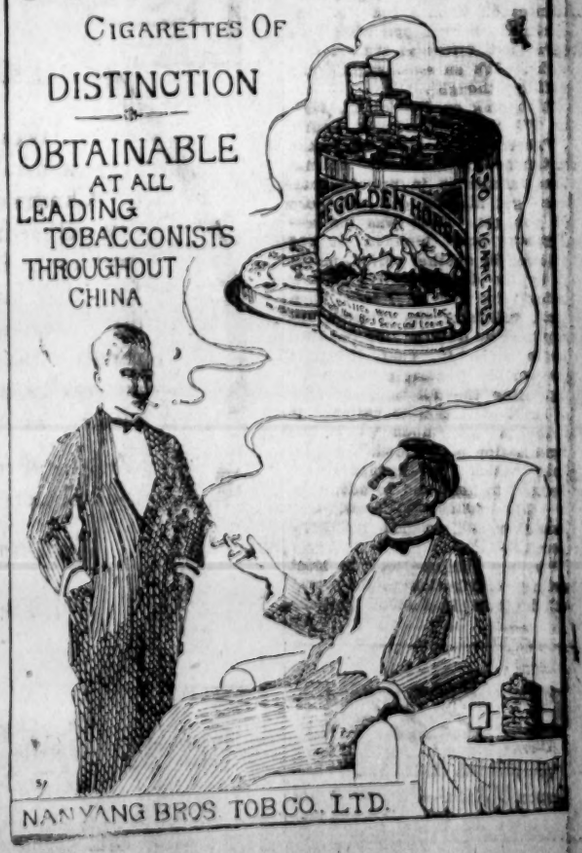

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Mr. D. E. Douty Addresses Rotarians On Business And Professional Ethics

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gain. I have checked up my experiences with others. I believe that the points I have offered you are faithful and true, and I am positively convinced that our Business Methods program is not only the big thing for Rotary International all around the world, but the biggest thing in the world for me in my own business.

"This isn't a work for theorists or philosophers. These codes must be the product of men versed in the industry or business to which the code applies. You and I can't hire men to do it—we've got to do it ourselves.

"Self-respect is something very humanly desirable. And one of the strong purposes of the idea behind the codes of correct business practice is conservation of the self-respect of employees without exception—in the office, the shop, the factory, skilled workmen and unskilled labor.

"One of the most serious offences against our Nations and Society is to deprive men of their self-respect. They can't respond to duty without it. He who is instrumental in creating self-respect, where none existed before, is the greatest of benefactors."

"Once upon a time honor belonged exclusively to the gentry, noblemen, the military and fighting men, courtiers, all those entitled to wear a sword. Artisans and tradesmen were not supposed to have any honor.

"Fifty years ago it was argued that the man and his business were separate and distinct; that is, they could have different characters. The spirit of "Let the buyer beware" was held to be consistent with the character of a kind husband, a good father, loyal friend, social pillar and good citizen."

"A fundamental of understanding between men is similarly in ethical standards.

"Men of different moral valuations view one another with suspicion. Each says that the other is hypocritical. Is it not a tremendous priviledge for Rotary International to take part in removing this distrust."

"The biggest material thing in civilisation is the busness of civilisation, but the greatest thing is the *spirit* of civilisation. The supreme law of human life is duty. And duty must be based on moral standards.

"But this is impossible unless we have some large and cohesive body of individuals, within the body politic, expressing the spirit of loyalty to ideals.

"At various countries, this necessary element of loyalty has been supplied by good kings and their satellites, by armed aristocracy, by militant religion, and, finally, by political parties, whose platforms read nobly and frequently fail ignobly.

"The time has arrived when this duty devolves upon business, whose contracts are incalculably more extensive and closer than those of politics. But business must be brought to realise this fact."

"As a broad postulate, every community is what its business men make it. The places of trade, industry, finance, are more nearly the everyday town expression than other public meeting places. The ideal friendly town is a miniature universe of an ideal friendly world.

"There is always an element of good in all men's lawful pursuits Rotary strives to inspire better business practices by enlightening men's minds through the warmth of friendship and requiring constant exchange of confidences.

"Out of these codes of business ethics, I see arising, in the fullness of time, a code of enlightened law supplanting the worn out forms in the statute books. It's an encouraging and thrilling thought.

"Speaking on Patriotism, Walter W. Mead said at St. Louis: "There was a time when the sentiment prevailed—in international affairs as in private business—get all you can and keep all you get. That was the age of piracy and plunder. It was followed by another period, marked by the development of a new policy "live and let live." Then came, still later, the principle exemplified by Rotary "live and help others to live." That, today, is the world's greatest principle for regulating the relations of man to man, of nation to nation. It is the principle upon which this organisation is founded, the principle which its members are pledged to hold and to advance. In this connection Pres. Guy Gundaker said in his inaugural speech,—

"In my opinion Rotary's most lasting contribution to the world will be found in a service to business—service in extending co-operation and good fellowship among business men,—service in bettering business standards,—service in effecting intimate, cordial and friendly relations between employers and employees,—in brief, the making of a happier, more contended, more kindly, more co-operative, more efficient and more honorable business world."

"In speaking of Guy Gundaker as the incoming President of Rotary International one of his friends says,—Guy Gundaker has a vision which he holds to tenaciously. It is that the Service Ideal must eventually take the place of the dollar ideal in the realm of trade and his outstanding characteristic is thoroughness.'

"If this is true we must expect to see consideration of business and professional ethics occupy a prominent place in this year's Rotary activity. In his Presidential address Pres. Raep Havens said:

"The ties of society teach us to respect one another, but the best way to respect others, is by respecting the law and following honorable business ethics.

"You can carry on no business without faith in man; you must keep faith in men as well as keep books in business transactions.

"Rotary demands three important business obligations—sincerity in affirming, simplicity in bargaining, and faithfulness in performing.

"Rotary should be the reservoir of inspiration for its members to act fearlessly as good citizens and good business men.

"Rotary International offers . . . . , the equality of doing right, the only equality that stands upon rock bottom.

"It is sending its members as ambassadors to their own craft organisations to plead for the adoption of codes of correct business practices.

"We don't plead sentiments. We demand rock bottom principles. And to start this great ball rolling, it is vital that we, ourselves, shall be known to practice what we ask our fellow business men to practice.

"Sentiments are emotional, principles are realities; and the principle of Rotary, that friendliness and co-operation are fundamentals of doing right cannot be overturned. Reverse the order of the words and the meaning is the same.

"The principle will not down, for it is four square. Doing right is not mere negation, but action; it is the exercise of will power and self discipline which builds character.

"Doing right is positive and affirmative, always starting to attain success and making success a virtue through sympathy and understanding.

"I do not say that you shall save your souls by ethics in business. I do not say that you will make much more money. But I do say that tradesmen who cannot feel any conscience in trade, or morality in profits, or obligations in success, are providing ammunition to the enemies of society and fanning the flames of hatred.

"Rotary is for the individual, and the individual is for the betterment of all men. His strength is in his individual responsibility for his business, or profession, his city, his country, his civilisation.

"But what can he do? He can make his principles known; he can make them felt by his unison with his fellows who practice business honor, sympathy and understanding.

"I believe that a half million loyal men, forming a worldwide concert of Rotary principles, could drive back to hell many things that belong there, and make room for a little more heaven on earth.

"I could cover Rotary with flowers, spray it with perfumed words of praise, but life is real, life is earnest, and full of duties to perform, and my last words is that the individual is responsible. You and I are responsible.

"Now I think you will agree that Rotary's code of business ethics is a contract worthy of a Man. The kind of a man that Ed. Guest describes to his small son Bud when he says—'And one time when he asked, ' "When shall I be a man?" he said as I was putting him to bed.'

"'I have heaved a sigh, because it called for careful thought, to give the answer that he sought.

"Of others you are considerate too,
"Content to do the best you can,
"By such a creed you'll be a man."

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and so I sat him on my knee, and said to him,
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"More joy than all the crowns of kings;
"That it is better to be true
"To all who know and trust in you
"Than all the gold of earth to gain;
"If winning it shall leave a stain;
"When you can fight for victory sweet,
"Yet bravely swallow down defeat;
"And cling to hope and keep the right
"Nor use deceit instead of might;
"When you are kind and brave and clean,
"And fair to all and never mean;
"When there is good in all you plan
"That day, my boy, you will be a man.
"Some of us learn this truth too late
"That years alone can't make us great,
"That many who are three score ten
"Have fallen short of being men.
"Because in selfishness they fought,
"And toiled without refining thought;
"And whether wrong or whether right
"They lived but for their own delight,
"When you have learned that you must hold
"Your honor dearer far than gold
"That no ill-gotten wealth or fame
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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

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Monsieur Wilden, Consul General de France, a bien voulu accepter de presider a cette petite ceremonie.

Le Comite

NOTICE

The Committee have much pleasure in informing the Members of the C. S. F. that December the 9th has been fixed for the cutting of the first sod in connection with the erection of the New Club house.

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The Committee

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F. A. AGLEN,
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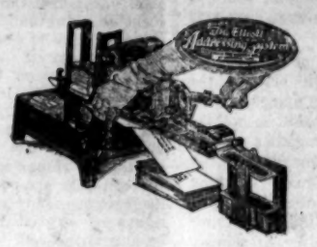

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Dr. Sun And The Customs

THERE is no questioning the seriousness of the situation produced by Dr. Sun Yat-sen's threat to seize the Chinese Maritime Customs revenues in Kwangtung and Kwangsi provinces. The question is loaded with dynamite to the limit. Everybody admits that Meager reports from Canton and Peking carried by the news agencies in the last few days have given some hint of the seriousness of the situation, but Dr. Sun Yat-sen himself now leaves no doubt regarding his intentions for in an authorised interview appearing in the North China Daily News on Thursday of this week stated his intentions in unmistakable terms. According to Dr. Sun the customs revenues of the two Kuangs amount to $10,000,000 annually and as this "was their money he meant to have possession of it." He said that for too long a time Canton had been shouldering the whole of the cost of the war in the Constitutionalist interest, and in the meantime Peking, with the connivance of the Diplomatic Corps, had been using the money collected in Kwangtung to make war upon her.

In the same interview Dr. Sun announced his intention of taking this extreme action within the next few days and when questioned regarding the foreign and domestic obligations depending upon the customs revenues he said first, that Kwangtung would take care of its share in the payment of the foreign loans and as for the domestic loans based upon the customs surplus he said that the Salt Gabelle and the Ministry of Communications could take care of them. When reminded of the presence of foreign gunboats, four British, two American, one Japanese and two French in the Canton harbor, Dr. Sun said that he obviously could not cope with such a force but that "he would then have the glory of being beaten by all of the Powers which he would regard as an honor and then he would enter the second phase." When pressed for a further explanation, he refused but hinted at an active alliance with Soviet Russia, whose agent, M. Borodin, is now in Canton.

If there had been any question of Dr. Sun's precarious position at Canton in connection with his fight against General Chen Chlung-ming, his interview removes that doubt, for obviously his words are the words of a man in desperation. The threatened seizure of the customs is obviously the last straw in the long drawn out struggle for the mastery of China's southern metropolis. As referred to in these columns last week the fight between Dr. Sun and General Chen had narrowed down to the outskirts of Canton city and any day may see a decisive battle. Both sides are in desperate need of funds and from Dr. Sun's interview referred to above, Canton must now be milked entirely dry of money for the payment of the troops from Yunnan and Hunan which were brought into Canton by Dr. Sun for use on his side in the fratricidal fight against Generals Chen and Wu Pei-fu.

Dr. Sun's threat to seize the customs revenues naturally brings interesting complications for the Powers, and few will envy the position of the Diplomatic Body at Peking in this connection. From the standpoint of actual money obtained should the seizure take place Dr. Sun in all probability will be disappointed, for although the two southern provinces produce approximately $10,000,000 a year, it requires a year to amass this sum under normal conditions and trade conditions at Canton are far from normal now. The principle involved however is of far reaching importance for if Dr. Sun is permitted to take over the customs revenues in Kwangtung, it naturally follows that the same thing may take place elsewhere at points where anti-Peking factions are in control such as Chekiang Province and Manchuria. The complete break down of the customs would almost constitute that "bottom" point in the Chinese political situation regarding which people have been taking for so long.

If Dr. Sun goes ahead as he threatens, it will have one clarifying effect; it will force a show down on the part of the Powers for which everybody has been waiting. If the Diplomatic Corps backs down and permits Dr. Sun to have his way, naturally it will cause complications in the relationship of the Powers with the Peking Government to which the Powers accord recognition. If the Powers use the force which they have available at Canton and prevent Dr. Sun from carrying out his designs on the customs there may be other complications regarding which Dr. Sun hints in his interview. But obviously these complicatons could not be as serious as those resulting from the Powers acquiescence in Dr. Sun's plans to take over the customs revenues. Although the money which Dr. Sun may obtain in this way could not be large, it would be of some assistance to him and help to prolong the fight which is now manifestly approaching a show-down. The reactions of the Chinese commercial and financial interests to Dr. Sun's contemplated action will also be interesting for his threatened seizure of the Kwangtung customs revenues strikes at the foundation of the security of a considerable section of the domestic loan bonds. These bonds are already suffering a heavy slump on the market owing to the inadequency and uncertainty of the security and his statement that the Salt Gabelle and the Ministry of Communications can cover, them will not carry much conviction with the Chinese financial interests.

Dr. Sun has indeed put the Powers in a hole and at least from information available at this distance from Peking and Canton the Powers have about reached the point where they must make a stand.

A New Entente

THERE is a possibility of the Latin races coming together and in their union presenting a united front against the rest of the world. Not that Spain and Italy, who have arrived at an entente, contemplate anything so dreadful as the establishment of a Latin hegemony. Such is probably the last idea they have, but there is no reason whatever why they should not unite for the furtherance of their substantial common interests and thus effect one of the best possible bonds that can unite countries which, beyond these common interests, have no particular necessity for such understandings.

When we come to consider the position of the two parties to the new pact, it is apparent on the face of it, that political considerations must have played an important part in the negotiations which have borne such happy fruit. How far those same considerations affect Europe as a whole is not particularly clear at the present moment, except for the generalisation that everything which tends to unite the people of the continent is for the ultimate good of European civilisation and something in the nature of insurance against the immediate recurrence of that hostility which may or may not lead to open warfare.

Outside the stresses and strains which have been played upon Allied relationships during the last few years, there is hope still that community of interest will keep Western Europe together, even though it is apparent that some of them may be odd bedfellows. For that reason we have to welcome any departure which tends towards the alignment of these countries in a manner calculated to maintain the balance of power, for though it had been hoped that under the new diplomacy—which was not so new after all—the old doctrine of balance would be relegated to the dark limbo of discarded things, it is rapidly becoming apparent that, whatever political repentance there may have been recently, it has not led to any definite and substantial change of heart. We find thus, one alignment of European Powers against Germany. Within that, in its turn, we see a tendency amongst certain countries to come together on even less important issues—matters of what might be termed purely domestic import. It is true that the bonds which bind Spain to the Entente through the understanding with Italy are of the slenderest, but there is more merit in more or less loose covenants than there ever was in the old type of offensive and defensive treaty.

We cannot see from an American or British point of view anything but good in this new development, though perhaps the French may see some cause for distrust in the fact that whatever remains of a balance of power in the Mediterranean is, so far as she is concerned, jeopardised by the coming together of the two nations, next to herself, having the most important interests in that stretch of water. Fortunately, however, many of those considerations which have led to this happy issue of the visit of King Alfonso to Italy, may eventually induce France to become a third party to the pact, thereby tending to solidify the Latin races in Europe and engender that political unity so much to be desired for the ultimate peace of Europe.

Correspondence

A REPLY TO MR. TANG SHAO-YI

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Dear Sir.—Referring to the prominent report in your issue of today, of the interview your reporter had with Mr. Tung Shao-yi, I wish to say that, as a Chinese citizen, I strongly object to the remark which he made as to the "people here." He is reported to say that "the people here are not prepared" for the present form of government.

From the lips of foreigners, we have heard enough of such disparaging words on the Chinese character, but it is certainly to be regretted that such a learned man as Mr. Tang, who has himself held many official positions including that of Premier of China, should make use of a similar utterance.

The people of China, with their quiet and easy-going nature which scoffs at nothing that is good, are prepared for the most civilised form of government that the world can evolve. In his long official career, Mr. Tang must have known that it is the mandarins and those who hold military power in China that are responsible for the present chaos.

He recounted very peculiarly the story of the district magistrates of his own village, and lamented that the change of officials did not have his knowledge. Since he knows himself that political affairs are all handled by officials without the knowledge of the people, it is hard to understand how he can justly blame the people for not "being prepared" for the new form of government. I do not understand why such an illogical statement could be made by so experienced a man as Mr. Tang.

I hope Mr. Tang Shao-yi will not fail to see that if the Chinese people are left unmolested by the militarists and mandarins, they will prove themselves able to undertake the great task of reconstructing the country along modern lines. In fact, they will make ideal citizens for any law-abiding government.

Unless his absence from the political field has made him out-of-date, he will retract the unfair reflection which he has cast on our national character.

Yours faithfully,
H. T. Wong.

MORE TRAM TROUBLE

Editor THE CHINA PRESS.

Dear Sir: While I (or rather we, tramcar passengers) appreciate the efforts recently taken by the Tram Company management for the safety of their patrons and comfortable accommodation of first class passengers by installing gates and enlarging the first class compartments on a few of their cars, the manner in which this reform is being carried out by their employees (the conductors) has forced me to make a complaint.

According to the notice posted on the cars the first class compartment is to accommodate 20 persons and by comparing its size the third class compartment should accommodate 8 to 10 persons. On more than one occasion I have noticed, however, that the gate to the third class compartment was closed before it had taken in the full number of passengers it could comfortably accommodate. At the same time the conductor allowed as many persons to pour into and crowd the first class compartment as they stepped onto the cars and as a consequence many of these third class passengers were forced into the first class compartment contrary to their wish because they were shut out from the partly empty third class compartment.

From the above circumstance I am led to infer that the Tram Company by making the recent "reform" intended either (1) to profiteer by forcing third class passengers into the first class compartment or (2) to give less comfortable service to the first class passengers than to the third class ones.

I shall be very glad if the Tram Company management will give explanation. Yours very truly,
K. I. YUEN.

Editorial Comments

Reference has previously been made to the scandalous condition of Ellis Island. The latest suggestion to get rid of Ellis Island is to hand it over to the shipping companies but from a canvass of opinion it would seem that the shipping companies are not attracted by this idea. The attitude of the British shipowners seems to be in the main that such a control under shipping companies would not make matters any the better, in fact they go so far as to state that "it would only make matters worse.

It may be added here that if the shipping companies were to shoulder the control of Ellis Island they would have to find funds every year to make up the deficit. Last year the head tax receipts that immigrants into the United States paid amounted to G.$2,503,036 and fines yielded some $489,781, a total revenue of G.$2,992,877. The appropriation from the American Treasury for the management of the Island was G.$3,330,000, leaving a deficit of over G.$330,000. Surely, if the most progressive country in the world with all its resources cannot take decent care of Ellis Island, it is not possible that steamship companies will be able to solve the difficulty. The shipping companies very wisely have decided that they will not have it, and so for the time being it is certain that whoever is going to pay for the discomforts of Ellis Island it is certainly not going to be the shipowners. There is where it rests for the time being.

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WITH EXCERPTS FROM GREAT THINKERS

By Mathy

THOUGHTS ARE FORCES

Thoughts are forces, and by them we create ourselves and our conditions. These little force points are constantly chiseling, molding the character, fashioning the life. We cannot get away from our thought. We must be like it.

Some one has said, "All human duty is boiled down into this, learn what to think and think it." St. Paul understood the philosophy of right thinking and he knew that these ideals held constantly in the mind will leaven the whole character and reshape the life. We are beginning to learn the profound philosophy in his advice: "Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report: if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things."

"Think on these things. He did not mean just to run them through the mind like water through a sieve, to merely pass them over lightly, but to dwell upon, contemplate them, hold them in the mind until they permeate the life, and become a permanent habit, a part of one's very being.

Just think of what the opposite advice would mean, to dwell upon and harbor in the mind things foul, demoralizing, and debauching: impurity, hatred, revenge, discord, jealousy, and all the human passions to which St. Paul refers!

Dwelling upon the criminal thought produces the criminal. Dwelling upon the impurity suggestion makes the debauchee. St. Paul knew that it was the things that we dwell upon, contemplate, think about habitually, concentrate the mind upon, that determine the quality of the life. There never was better advice given by any human being than this of St. Paul's.

I can not get away from myself, no matter where I go. I am always environed by myself, horizoned by my mentality, encircled by my ideal, constantly influenced by my self-suggestion.

If my thought is narrow, I must live in a narrow world. If my thinking has been sordid, cold, and unsympathetic I can not enjoy the broader and larger world others live in, for I have incapacitated myself to see it or to appreciate it. If I am mean, contemptible, and despicable in my conduct, then I am shut in by an ever-narrowing horizon, limited by the smallness and meanness of my thoughts.

If I am a person of mean vicious habits, compelled to look through the bars behind which my vile or vicious thoughts and suggestions have imprisoned me. I can not complain of the loneness, the wretchedness of my condition. The cell which confines me is opened and shut by my will: locked my volition.

Yet, while we can not get out of our atmosphere, we can change it by changing our thought, our attitude towards life. The quality of the thought determines the quality of the atmosphere. We have it in our power to live in a Paradise or a Hades. The thought determines it all.

It is now a well-established fact that victims of bad habits can be wonderfully benefited by resolving upon retiring and dropping into unconsciousness, that they will have nothing more to do with drink, drugs or the vicious habit which has been enslaving them.

How can you expect to get the maximum of efficiency when worry, fear, anxiety, discouragement, or melancholy are sapping twenty-five, fifty, or seventy-five percent of your mental energy? You must clear the mind of its enemies: otherwise you pay the penalty in exhausted vitality, in wasted energy.

The auto-jealous suggestion has shattered numberless lives even when there was no foundation whatever in fact. There is nothing short of crime that will create such a frightful havoc in the human mind as jealousy. What awful wrecks have been caused by this terrible fiend? Beautiful characters have been torn all to pieces and ruined in a few months by it. How many people have lived for years in perfect torture when there was absolutely no cause or real reason for it! What nameless crimes are committed by people who were kindly disposed, people naturally honest but whose minds have been perverted, wrecked, by the harboring of this frightful enemy of peace and happiness!

The jealous man who thinks he has been seriously wronged, harbors the thought of revenge, and thinks of ways and means of getting "square" with his enemy until he finally takes his life. He may not have intended it at first, or even thought it possible: but his mind became abnormal by harboring the jealous thought. His desire for revenge grew until finally his mind was unbalanced and he committed the terrible deed.

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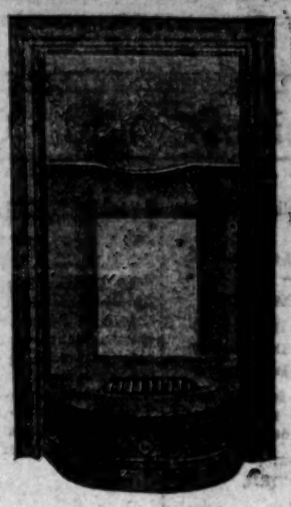

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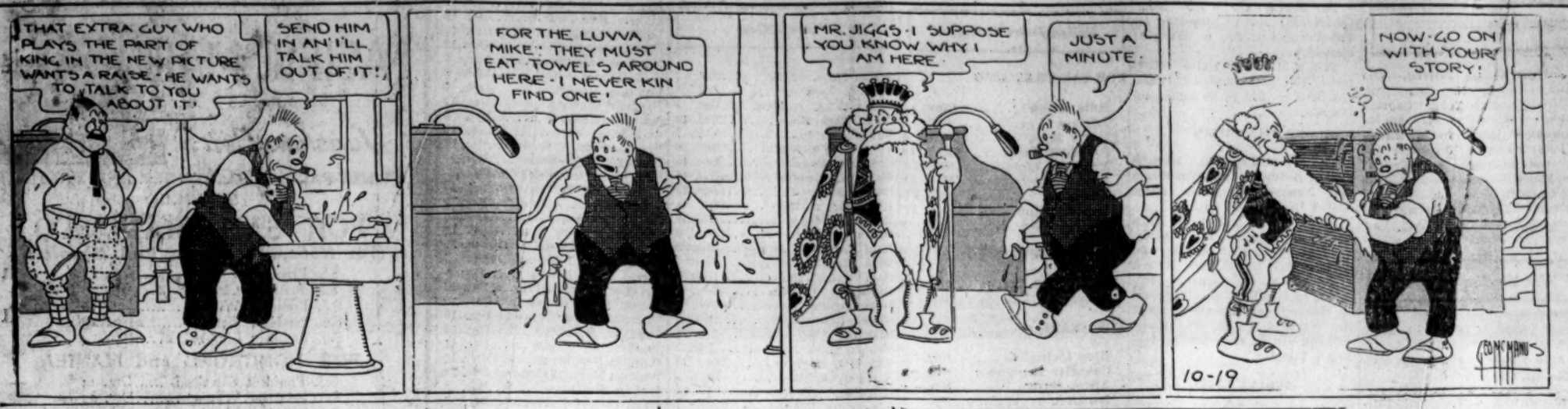
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A Column Of Verse

THE LAST VOYAGE

(From The London Spectator)

Some morning I shall rise from sleep,
When all the house is still and dark.
I shall steal down and find my ship
By the dim quayside and embark.

Nor fear the seas nor any wind.
I have known Fear, but now no more.
The winds shall bear me safe and kind,
Long hoped for and long waited for.

To no strange country shall I come,
But to mine own delightful land,
With Love to bid me welcome home
And Love to lead me by the hand.

Love, you and I shall cling together,
And look long in each other's eyes.
There shall be rose and violet weather
Under the trees of Paradise.

We shall not hear the ticking clock,
Nor the swift hustle of Time's wings,
Nor dread the sharp dividing stroke,
Being come now to immortal things.

. . . . . .

With all those wonders to admire,
And the heart's hunger satisfied,
Given at long last the heart's desire
We shall forget we ever died.

Oh, in some morning dateless yet
I shall steal out in the sweet dark
And find my ship with sails all set
By the dim quayside and embark.

KATHARINE TYNAN.

MOO!

(From The New Republic)

Summer is over, the old cow said,
And they'll shut me up in the draughty shed
To milk me by lamplight in the cold,
But I won't give much, for I am old.
It's long ago that I came here
Gay and slim as a woodland deer;
It's long ago that I heard the roar.
Of Smith's white bull by the sycamore.
And now there are bones where my flesh should be,
My backbone sags like an old rooftree,
And an apple snatched in a moment's frolic
Is just so many days of colic
I'm neither a Jersey nor Holstein now,
But only a faded sort of cow.
My calves are veal, and I had as lief
That I could lay me down as beef.
Somehow, they always kill by halves;
Why not take me when they take my calves?
Birch turns yellow and sumac red,
I've seen this all before, she said.
I'm tired of the field and tired of the shed.
There's no more grass, there's no more clover.
Summer is over, summer is over.

ROBERT HILLYER.

WET BEACHES

(From Scribner's Magazine)

Shut eyes! Feel the cold wind flow past!
Run, but however fast
The flight may be
By this imagined sea—
However swift the race,
Something outran us: feet that left no trace
Went by to beaches that we shall not know,
And that sea's snow
(Ah! faster, dear!)
Melts never to a tear.
Star-topped the goal-posts glow,
And those immortal feet
That wing our dream
(How swift they flow!)
Shall pass the world's extreme,
Forever victors and forever fleet.
Even the dipping swallow
May never follow,
Nor the salt air
That happy traveling share.
We run in Time, who have so far to go.
See, the sands end;
The cliffs are tall before us, shining friend.
Delay! Look back!
The waves have left us not a track
Of all we made.
So then, you to your glade,
I to my home,
Beyond the eternal, unabiding foam,
A quick farewell—goodby,
O beautiful and shy,
Whose calm lips have not stirred
Even to one grave word!

GEORGE STERLING.

FIR BRANCHES DARK ACROSS THE MOON

(From The Poetry Review)

Fir branches dark across the moon!
Fear in the branches sits and swings.
Soundless the sweep of the owl's soft wings,
Green eyes lit with a baleful glare,
Beak curved cruelly and talons bare.
Fear in the branches sits and swings.

Fir branches dark across the moon!
Fear in the branches wakes and stirs.
Close stand the ranks of the watching firs.
Green eyes fixed in a hungry stare,
O my Lady Owl will have dainty fare.
Fear in the branches wakes and stirs.

Fir branches dark across the moon!
Fear in the branches laughs aloud.
A rustle of dread where the shadows crowd.
A silent swoop through the still night air—
And my lady applauds from her hidden lair.
Fear in the branches laughs aloud.

AGNES-MARY LAWRENCE.

NANTUCKET

(From The Century)

She liked to know sea captains
Were in her blood,
The twanging ropes and smell of tar,
Sails white as milk and beautiful as clouds,
And storms—here she was vaguer—
But storms certainly,
Where ancestors in tightly buttoned coats
Stood on sharp-tilted decks while lightning made
Their eyes glean green.
She knew wharves well and had seen Chinamen,
And there were broken chessmen her great uncle
Brought back on his last voyage; so, in short,
She drank her tea not quite as others did.

ELIZABETH COATSWORTH.

Something To Think About

By Bruno Lessing

CONFLICTING INTERESTS

Listening to a concert over the radio. The announcer announces:

"The next uh number will be uh the famous march from uh 'Possifle,' payed by the uh Goldman uh band."

He means well but the cannot help it. Anyway, the band bursts into the majestic strains of "Parsifal," and you listen to the march of the Knights of the Holy Grail enthralled. Then, just as the music swells into a glorious crescendo, you hear, broadcasted from another station, " . . . will now tell the barber shop story."

And, even while you are frowning and wondering why one station does not wait until another has finished, you hear the strains of a chorus girl's voice, broadcasted from a third station.

" . . . she's the jazz, jazz, jazzo, jazzio queen!"

Then you groan and shut off the radio.

Each broadcasting station is interested only in its own program. It has not the slightest regret when it learns that it has marred the program of another station. The result is that private individuals—and there are millions of them—are annoyed.

The result will be that this annoyance will increase and radio sets will be thrown into ash cans by the thousands or some strong hand will regulate these conflicting stations and compel them to pay some attention to their rivals.

But, after all, it is only a tempest in a teapot.

This same state of affairs, however, affords a splendid analogy for another situation, infinitely more serious and more important.

The labor unions of the United States are broadcasting their views and their grievances and their demands. The farmers of the United States are doing the same. The consumers are not organized, but their protecting clamor fills the air.

None of these factions pays the slightest attention to the needs or the wishes of the other. Each is interested only in its own broadcasting. The result is that the air is filled with shrill discord.

It's a bum concert. Compared with the radio, it has this great disadvantage: You cannot obtain rest by throwing anything into an ash can. Nor, thus far, has anyone discovered the strong hand that can control these conflicting stations and make them show consideration for one another.

So, what are you going to do about it?

Perplexities Of Moonrise :-: And Moonset :-:

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

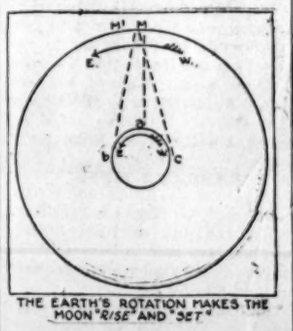
"I have a wager about the moon. One says the moon 'rises' in the east and 'sets' in the west; the other says that it rises, or appears to rise, in the west and also sets there. The latter also says that only at certain periods does the moon 'rise' in the east. So the simple question is: Where does the moon rise and set, and does it rise in the east only at certain periods?—E. Z., Yonkers, N. Y.

* * *

Why make wagers about the moon? Remember Juliet's warning to Romeo: "O swear not by the moon, the inconstant moon!" However, the moon is constant in one thing, namely, in rising in the east. This she is compelled to do at all times because her angular velocity in traveling around the earth is less than the angular velocity of the earth in rotating on its axis, both motions being performed in the same direction, i.e., from west to east.

An inexperienced observer might easily get the erroneous idea that the new moon rises in the west because he sees it there, not far above the horizon, immediately after sunset, and hastily concludes that it has just risen. The fact is that it has been "up" all day, or since early in the forenoon, following the sun in its apparent westward journey through the sky, but, because of its nearness to the sun, becoming visible only after the glare of the sun is withdrawn at sunset.

If you know where and how to look for it you can see the crescent of the new moon eastward of the sun at high noon—and a pretty sight it is. All the afternoon you can follow its pale, slender, silvery figure, gliding down the western slope of the sky—Diana in her canoe tracking Apollo's argosy, in "maiden meditation" perhaps, but not "fancy-free."



THE EARTH'S ROTATION MAKES THE MOON "RISE" AND "SET"

Because of the moon's eastward motion in her orbit she gains, on the average, about 50½ minutes per day on the sun. This causes her to rise in the east and set in the west, correspondingly later every day. The amount of retardation of rising and setting, however, varies with the latitude of the observer, and the regularity of the phenomenon is best seen by noting the times of the moon's passage over the meridian. She crosses the meridian, on the average, more than 12½ degrees farther eastward every day, with reference to the sun. This, turned into time, becomes 50½ minutes. At full moon the moon has gained half a revolution on the sun, and then she plainly rises in the east at sunset.

I have said that the moon is compelled always to rise in the east because her angular velocity in her orbit is less than that of the earth in its rotation. This may need a word of explanation. The risings and settings of the heavenly bodies as seen from the earth are all due to the earth's rotation on its axis. Here a little diagram will speak volumes.

The central circle represents the earth turning on its axis in the direction of the arrow, i.e., from west to east. The outer circle represents the orbit of the moon, in which the moon moves in the same directions as that of the earth's rotation, but many times slower. Let an observer on the earth be at the point "a" when the moon is on his meridian at the point "m". When the earth's rotation has carried the observer to "b," the moon will have moved to some point between "m" and "m1," but evidently, as seen by the observer at "b," it will now be setting in west behind the earth. And when the observer has been rotated around to "c," the moon will be about to rise from behind the earth, in the east.

But all this time the moon's eastward advance in its orbit, continues, and when the rotation of the earth has carried the observer back to the point "a," where the moon appeared on the meridian twenty-four hours before it will now have arrived on the meridian about 12½ degrees eastward from the meridian, and fifty minutes more of the earth's rotation will be required to overtake the moon and bring it back again to the observer's meridian.

Only if the moon traveled around the earth faster than the earth rotates would, or could, it rise in the west. This singular state of affairs actually exists on the planet Mars, whose inner satellite does revolve around the planet in a shorter time than the planet takes to make one axial turn.

ONCE OVERS

DO NOT LET AN "OFF" DAY WORRY YOU

Sometimes it worries you because you cannot do your ordinary every day work well when there seems no excuse for your condition.

You wonder if you are losing your grip.

Often you try to make yourself believe that you are going backward.

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Every one has "off" days.

There are times when a writer cannot write.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. ESANG, 1,782 Tons, Captain Thompson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Old Ningpo Wharf on Saturday, December 8, at about midnight. For Freight, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON and Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extension to Freight Department.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. TIANGYU, Capt. Johannessen will leave on Friday, December 7, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO 2,664 Tons, Captain Christ, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Old Ningpo Wharf on Monday, December 10, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers, Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,935 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, December 11, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. TINGWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Pellew, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at about midnight. For Freight apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extension to Freight Department.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, December 13, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 3,755 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, December 14, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Department.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. FEI-CHING, Capt. Manley, will leave on Sunday morning, December 9. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. TAISHUN, Capt. Jansen, will leave on Saturday morning, Dec. 8. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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TIENTSIN Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the steamer KWANGPING on December 9, 1923. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent 12, The Bund, Tel. Central 317.

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Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Pingwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Wenchow will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Nanning left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Wingsang is due in Shanghai from Hongkong and Ningpo this morning.

The I-C. s.s. Kwongsang is due in Shanghai from Hongkong and Swatow today.

The C.N. s.s. Sunningg left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Fooshing left Hongkong on Wednesday and arrives in Shanghai via Swatow on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Swatow for Foochow and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai next Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai next Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Irene left Amoy on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The O.S.K. s.s. Kohoku Maru, from Formosa, left Foochow on Wednesday noon, and arrives in Shanghai about noon today. The steamer docks at the O.S.K. Wharf, and will sail for Tsingtao, Tientsin and Dairen next Monday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Tientsin on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Cheongshing left Tientsin on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The D.K.K. s.s. Chohei Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday morning, and docked at the Whangpoo Wharf. The vessel will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The I-C. s.s. Wosang is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao next Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung will leave Tientsin tomorrow, and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo next Tuesday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Saikio Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow morning, and docks at the Whangpoo Wharf. The vessel will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen on Monday noon.

The K.M.A. s.s. Wugo Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kalee (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Thesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Rokko Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Nagoya today, and docks at the Wayside Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji next Monday, and docks at the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki on Monday morning, and docks at the Wayside Wharf. The vessel will sail for the same port at daybreak Tuesday.

INDIAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan will leave Shanghai for Bombay via ports tomorrow, and the tender with passengers and baggage for the vessel will leave the Customs jetty at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Ben Line s.s. Benarty left Penang on November 18, and is expected in Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar left London at 2 p.m. on November 23, and is expected to arrived in Shanghai about January 2.

The Glen Line m.v. Glentara is expected to arrive in Shanghai from London on December 10.

The P. & O. s.s. Morea is due to leave London today, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about January 16.

The Sorwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Tugela, from Christiania via ports, deft Southampton on November 24, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about January 7.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Menelaus left Singapore on December 1, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong next Sunday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Titan left Singapore on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on December 12.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat, from Marseilles on November 2 with mail, left Saigon at 11 a.m. Saturday and is expected in Shanghai on December 10.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor which docked at the S. M. R. Whanpoo Wharf from Kobe Tuesday morning, will sail for Marseilles at 11 o'clock this morning. Passengers are requested to embark at the wharf after 9 a.m.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Taurus, from Christiania via ports, left Antwerp on December 2, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about Jan. 15.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat, from Marseilles on November 2 with mail, will leave Hongkong at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and is to dock at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf on Tuesday morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Devanha will leave Shanghai for London next Tuesday, and the tender with passengers and hand baggage for the vessel is to leave the Customs jetty at noon. Heavy baggage should be delivered to the lighter alongside the Customs jetty between 2 and 3 p.m. Monday.

AMERICAN LINES

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant was due to leave Seattle on Tuesday, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Japan ports on December 21.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland, from San Francisco on November 22, should arrive at Yokohama from Honolulu yesterday and is expected in Shanghai via Kobe on December 10.

The Dollar s.s. M. S. Dollar left Yokohama on December 2, and is due in Shanghai via Kobe next Sunday.

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar left Seattle on November 20, and is due in Shanghai via Japan ports on December 20.

The Dollar s.s. Grace Dollar left Portland on November 28, and is due in Shanghai via Tsingtao on December 28.

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar left San Francisco for Manila on November 27.

The Dollar s.s. Virginia Dollar is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on January 5.

The Dollar s.s. Harold Dollar is due to leave Portland for the Orient on December 12.

The Dollar s.s. President Harrison is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on January 5.

The Dollar s.s. President Hayes is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on February 5.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, from Vancouver on November 29, should arrive at Kobe next Wednesday, and is expected in Shanghai on December 15.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jeierson is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Seattle next Sunday, and sails for Hongkong and Manila on Tuesday. The liner brings 2,314 bags of mail, a full passenger list and 2,000 tons of cargo for this port.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

India Arrow	Nov. 1
Tahchee	Nov. 7
Korea Maru	Nov. 8
President Pierce	Nov. 10
President Lincoln	Nov. 24
Shinyo Maru	Nov. 24
Shabonee	Nov. 27
Levant Arrow	Nov. 27
Siberia Maru	Dec. 3

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Canada	Nov. 20
Empress of Russia	Dec. 2

FOR SEATTLE

King Cadwalton	Nov. 2
Canadian Skirmisher	Nov. 3
Africa Maru	Nov. 4
Iyo Maru	Nov. 9
President Grant	Nov. 9
Hawaii Maru	Nov. 15
President Madison	Nov. 21
Alabama Maru	Nov. 25
President McKinley	Dec. 3

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West Niger	Nov. 2
West Cayote	Nov. 8
Rigi	Nov. 1
West Jester	Nov. 14
West Jesup	Nov. 27
Tjibesar	Nov. 28
Pawlet	Nov. 29

FOR GRAYS HARBOR, U.S.A.

Tenbergen	Nov. 29

FOR COLUMBIA

Mary Horlock	Nov. 3

FOR NEW YORK

City of Oran	Nov. 2
Taketoyo Maru	Nov. 6
Teucer	Nov. 10
Bolton Castle	Nov. 10
Heffron	Nov. 13
Ajax	Nov. 20
Eastern Prince	Nov. 25
City of Corinth	Nov. 30

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Teiresias	Nov. 1
Nellora	Nov. 2
Glenogle	Nov. 3
Haruna Maru	Nov. 3
City of Hankow	Nov. 7
Adrastas	Nov. 8
Doric Star	Nov. 10
Malwa	Nov. 13
Glaucus	Nov. 15
Kamo Maru	Nov. 19
Nyanza	Nov. 21
Kalyan	Nov. 27
Machaon	Nov. 29
Katori Maru	Dec. 1
City of Karachi	Dec. 1
Glenamoy	Dec. 2
Oanfa	Dec. 3
Sarpedon	Dec. 6

FOR HAMBURG

Amazon Maru	Nov. 7
Havelland	Nov. 15
Pfals	Nov. 17
Adolf von Baeyer	Dec. 1

FOR ROTTERDAM

Oostkerk	Nov. 10

FOR AMSTERDAM

Ouderkerk	Nov. 16

FOR COPENHAGEN

Chile	Nov. 1
Malte	Nov. 20

FOR MARSEILLES

Chili	Nov. 16
Porthos	Nov. 23

FOR TRIESTE

Venezia	Nov. 2
Fiume L.	Nov. 30

FOR INDIA

Sicilia	Nov. 11
Tanda	Nov. 24

Steamers Arrived

December 5

Robert Dollar 2 from Chungking.
Rukkosan Maru from Japan.

December 6.

Yungshin from Ningpo.
Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo.
Taiyo Maru from S. Francisco.
Niigata Maru from Japan.
Yushun from Tientsin.
Tungwah from Amoy.
Chohei Maru from Dairen.
Khiva from London.
Glengarry from Vladivostok.
Ruth Kayser from Europe.
C. L. Y. Lopez from Europe.
Nagasaki Maru from Japan.
City of Tokio from New York.
Kaiping from Chinwangtao.
Shinyue from Vladivosok.
Kaho from Tientsin.
Tungchow from Tientsin.
Tuckwo from Hankow.
Tungting from Hankow.
Tehhsing from Hankow.
Kiangyu from Hankow.
Tafoo Maru from Hankow.
Luchow from Pukow.
Waishing from Swatow.
Taishun from Swatow.
Hengli from ———
Store Nordiske from Cruise.
Chuenitao from Cruise.
Shinlee from Tientsin.

Vessels Due

Atsuta Maru,	*Kobe*	Dec. 13
Benarty,	*London*	Dec. 5
Cheongshing,	*Tientsin*	Dec. 8
Dakar Maru,	*Kobe*	Dec. 12
Devanha,	*Kobe*	Dec. 7
Fengtien,	*Tientsin*	Dec. 5
Foosbing,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 10
Glentara,	*London*	Dec. 10
Heinfung,	*Tientsin*	Dec. 11
Hangyang,	*Swatow*	Dec. 5
Hsinchi,	*Foochow*	Dec. 7
Hsinkong,	*Swatow*	Dec. 8
Hsin Kiangteen,	*Ningpo*	Dec. 8
Hsin Ningshao	*Ningpo*	Dec. 7
Hsin Peking,	*Ningpo*	Dec. 7
Hsinming,	*Tientsin*	Dec. 7
Irene,	*Swatow*	Dec. 8
Kialee,	*Chinwangtao*	Dec. 8
Klangfoo,	*Hankow*	Dec. 14
Kohoku Maru,	*Formosa*	Dec. 7
Kanchow,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 13
Kiangan,	*Hankow*	Dec. 8
Kiangshun,	*Hankow*	Dec. 11
Kiangyung,	*Hankow*	Dec. 7
Klanghsin	*Hankow*	Dec. 9
Klangteen,	*Hankow*	Dec. 8
Kingsing,	*Tientsin*	Dec. 8
Kutwo,	*Hankow*	Dec. 8
Kumano Maru,	*Osaka,*	Dec. 10
Kwongsang,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 7
Kungwo,	*Hankow,*	Dec. 13
Loksang,	*Hankow*	Dec. 14
Luenyi,	*Hankow*	Dec. 14
Loongwo,	*Hankow*	Dec. 9
Lucerlc,	*New York*	Dec. 12
Luenho,	*Hankow*	Dec. 12
Luenho,	*Hankow*	Dec. 12
Menelaus,	*Liverpool*	Dec. 9
M. S. Dollar,	*U.S.A.*	Dec. 9
Nanning,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 8
Nagasaki Maru,	*Nagasaki*	Dec. 13
Ngankin,	*Hankow*	Dec. 5
Omi Maru,	*Kobe*	Dec. 12
Pres. Jackson,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 14
Pres. Taft,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 14
Paul Lecat,	*Marseilles*	Dec. 10
P. Cleveland,	*S. Francisco*	Dec. 10
Pres. Jefferson,	*Seattle*	Dec. 5
Pingwo,	*Hankow*	Dec. 10
Poyang,	*Hankow*	Dec. 12
Patroclus,	*Liverpool*	Dec. 15
Rokko Maru,	*Yokohama*	Dec. 7
Saikio Maru,	*Dairen*	Dec. 5
Shuntien,	*Tientsin*	Dec. 12
Sakaki Maru,	*Dairen*	Dec. 12
Shanghai Maru,	*Nagasaki*	Dec. 10
Sinkiang,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 12
Soochow,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 11
Sunning,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 16
Tsukuba Maru,	*Yokohama*	Dec. 14
Tatung,	*Hankow*	Dec. 8
Titan,	*Liverpool*	Dec. 12
Wugo Maru,	*Chinwangtao*	Dec. 8
Woeang,	*Tsingtao*	Dec. 10
W. Nomentum,	*Portland*	Dec. 12
Wenchow,	*Hankow*	Dec. 10
West O'Rowa,	*Portland*	Dec. 9
Wingsang,	*Hongkong*	Dec. 7
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E/Asia	Mar. 15	Mar. 31	E/Canada	Sept. 15	Sept. 29
E/Russia	Apr. 5	Apr. 21	E/Russia	Sept. 27	Oct. 13
E/Australia	Apr. 21	May 7	E/Australia	Oct. 13	Oct. 29
E/Asia	May 10	May 26	E/Asia	Oct. 25	Nov. 10
E/Russia	May 31	June 16	E/Canada	Nov. 10	Nov. 24
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Omi Maru .....Dec. 15
Nikko Maru .....Dec. 19

FOR BOMBAY via HONGKONG.

Tamba Maru .....Dec. 24

FOR SEATTLE VIA VICTORIA B. C.

Yokohama Maru .... Dec. 16
Kaga Maru .....Jan. 12

FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape From Kobe.

Kawachi Maru .. ..Dec. 13

FOR EUROPE

*Dakar Maru .....Dec. 14
Atsuta Maru .....Dec. 15
Kashima Maru .....Dec. 29

FOR AUSTRALIA, from Hongkong

Tango Maru .....Dec. 21

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Kaga Maru .....Dec. 25

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CHAMBORD			31st Dec.
PAUL LECAT	2nd Nov.	23rd Dec.	4th Jan.
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S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ..... Dec. 6
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Dec. 12 — New York via Suez	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 12.— Portland, Ore.	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — Portland, Ore.	W. Nomentum	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 15 — San Francisco	†Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 15 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 16 — Seattle	Yokohama Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 18 — San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 19 — New York via Suez	Calchas	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 19 — Tacoma	Arabia M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 20 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 27 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	AM. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 27 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S.
Jan. 4 — New York	Elkton	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 7 — New York	Havre Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 8 — Seattle	†P. Grant	AM. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 10 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 10 — New York via Suez	Peleus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 12 — Tacoma	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 12 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.
Jan. 12 — Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 13 — San Francisco	Tenyo M	Jap. T.K.K.
Jan. 17 — New York	Tatsuno Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 19 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 20 — Seattle	†P. Madison	AM. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 25 — San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Feb. 1 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 1 — New York via Suez	P. Harrison	Am. Dollar Co.
Feb. 4 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
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Khiva .....Jan. 8	Morea ....Feb. 19	Khyber ..Apr. 1

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Dec. 8 — Moji, Kobe	Khiva	Br. M. M. & Co.
Dec. 8 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 11 — Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 12 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 15 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 16 — Kobe	Alps Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 19 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Dec. 7 11.00 *Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M Cie
Dec. 8 — Hamburg	Amur Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 8 Calcutta	Takada	Br. M. M. & Co.
Dec. 8 — Hamburg	Ermland	Ger. H. A. Line
Dec. 8 — Hamburg, etc.	Glengarry	Br. G. L. E. A.
Dec. 9 — Bombay	†Soudan	Br. M. M. Co.
Dec. 9 — Hamburg, etc.	Amur Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 10 — Hamburg, etc.	C. of Tokio	Br. J.M. & Co.
Dec. 11 noon London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 13 — Hamburg, etc.	Helenus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 14 — Hamburg, etc.	Dakar Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 15 — London	Atsuta M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 19 — Hamburg, etc.	Autolycus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 21 — Liverpool	Ningchow	Br. B.& S.
Dec. 21 — Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr. M.M. Cie
Dec. 24 — Singapore	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
Dec. 25 — Rotterdam	Zosma	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 26 — Hamburg, etc.	Dardanus	Br. B.& S.
Dec. 26 — Liverpool,	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 27 — Hamburg, etc.	†Kashima M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 27 — London	Glenapp	Br. G.L.E.A.
Jan. 3 — Hamburg	Hindenburg	Ger. H.S. Line
Jan. 3 — London	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 4 — Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr M. M. Cie
Jan. 7 — Hamburg, etc.	Menelaus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 8 — London	†Khiva	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 15 — Liverpool	Titan	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 17 — Antwerp, etc.	Laomedon	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 18 — Marseilles	†A. Lebon	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 22 — London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 25 — Hamburg, etc.	Holstein	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Jan. 27 — Liverpool	Kt. Companion	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 23 — Rotterdam, etc.	Olderkerk	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Jan. 28 — Hamburg	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H.S. Line
Jan. 31 — London	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 1 — Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Feb. 2 — Antwerp, etc.	Alps Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Feb. 5 — London	†Kashgar	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 15 — Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 19 — London	†Morea	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 4 — London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 18 — London	†Naldera	Br. M. M. & Co.
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FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Dec. 21 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 5 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 2 — Melboure, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 27 Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M. M. & Co.

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Dec. 7 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 7 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 7 10.00 *S. H'kong, C'ton	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 8 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Dec. 8 5.00 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. N. S. S. N.
Dec. 8 11.00 *S. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B.& S.
Dec. 9 11.00 *A. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
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Dec. 9 — Wenchow	Feiching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 11 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Lin
Dec. 11 noon S. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 — Hongkong, etc.	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 13 — Keelung, etc.	Fukuken Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 15 — Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 21 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Chopaka	Am. S. & B.
Dec. 23 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	AM. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 24 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Faralon	Am. S. & B.
Dec. 25 — Hongkong	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 26 — Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 27 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S Co.
Dec. 31 — Hongkong	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Dec. 7 — Tientsin	Tungwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 7 3.00 Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Dec. 8 — *Chefoo Tientsin	Taishun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Dec. 8 11.00 *Chefoo, Tientsin	Wuhu	Br. B. & S.
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Dec. 9 — Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K.M.A.
Dec. 10 — Dairen, etc.	Kohoku Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 10 noon Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Dec. 11 — Dairen, etc.	Taishin Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
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Dec. 7 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 7 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 7 M.N. Hankow ,etc.	Tungting	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 8 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 8 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Esang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Dec. 8 D.L. Pukow	Wingsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 9 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 9 11.00 *Wuhu	Hanyang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 9 11.00 *Pukow	Foochow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 10 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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Dec. 10 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
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Dec. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 11 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 12 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Pingwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
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Dec. 13 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.

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Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
FNB	Nov. 8	Algol	Fr. Sloop
1 C	Nov. 20	Foxglove	Br. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 7	Fushima	Jap. Gun-boat
McW	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
N.S.N.B.	Nov. 30	Penguin	Am. Gun-boat
N.S.N.B.	Nov. 30	Pigeon	Am. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 30	Seta	Jap. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 26	Sumida	Jap. Gun-boat
1 C	Nov. 20	Seb. Carboto	Ital. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 21	Toba	Jap. Gun-boat
	Dec. 4	Tsushima	Jap. Cruiser
YTPDW		Woodlark	Br. Gun-boat

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Dec. 14	9 p.m.	P. Jackson	Seattle	Dec. 31

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	8 a.m.	Angkor	Marseilles	Jan. 11
Dec. 8	8 a.m.	Soudan	Bombay	Dec. 31
Dec. 11	10 a.m.	Devanha	Marseilles	Jan. 12

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11. a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m	via Chita
Tsingtao & Dairy	Today	1.30 p.m.	Chohei Maru
Chefoo and Tientsin	Dec. 8	9.30 a.m.	Wuhu
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Dec. 8	8.30 a.m.	Tungchow
Chefoo & Tientsin	Dec. 8	7.30 a.m.	Waishing
Tsingtao	Dec. 8	9.30 a.m.	Liangchow
Chefoo	Dec. 11	10.30 a.m.	Chili
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Dec. 11	1.30 p.m.	Fengtien

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 a.m.	Angkor
Swatow	Today	8.30 a.m.	Luchow
Hongkong & Canton	Dec. 8	8 a.m.	Soudan
Swatow	Dec. 8	9.30 a.m.	Shantung
Wenchow	Dec. 8	3 p.m.	Feiching
Swatow	Dec. 8	3 p.m.	Kwongsang
Amoy	Dec. 9	9.30 a.m.	Yingchow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train.
River ports	Daily	3 p.m.	via Train.
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Dec. 8	11 a.m.	Amur Maru
Japan ports	Dec. 8	7.30 a.m.	Yamashiro M.
Japan ports	Dec. 8	12 noon	Hakone Maru
Germany via ports	Dec. 9	10 a.m.	Ermland
Japan ports	Dec. 10	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.

Information For Mariners

FRIDAY, DEC. 7, 1923

The day tide are higher than the night tides, they are nearly equal about 4 and 5 o'clock.
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
11h. 25m.	9ft. 5in.	11h. 47m.	7ft. 11in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The day tides are higher than the night tides.)
Aprroximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.		P.M.	
10	16	10	41

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Mon Rises	Sets	Sun Rises	Sets	Daylight	Dark
5.28 a.m.	4.29 p.m.	6h. 46m.	4h. 56m.	6h. 1m.	5h. 41m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 30.28 in.
December 769.0 mm.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Tungwah from Amoy: Capt. McDowell.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow: Mrs. Tweedie, Mrs. H. Fowler, Mr. Foutin, Mrs. C. Johnson; from Tungchow: Mr. J. M. Avert.

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow from Tientsin: Mr. and Mrs. Fuller & two children, Mr. and Mrs. Manders and child, Miss Gribble; from Chefoo: Countess O'Kelly, Miss O'Kelly, Mr. White.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping from Chinwangtao: Mr. Lowson.

Per P. and O. s.s. Khiva from London and ports: Messrs N. Fitzsimmons, N. Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. Foley and three children, Rev. and Mrs. Thomas and two children, Misses J. Nunn, Pritchard, Rev. and Mrs. Rowley, Messrs. A. H. Kelloway, A. E. Whiffin, Mrs A. E. Bruce, Messrs. C. Young, J. V. Webb, Miss I M. Bartlett, Messrs. J. S. Scott, J. S. Jratt, Mrs. Anner and child, Mr. and Mrs. Barson, Mrs. Lynch, Mr. K. A. Taylor, Mrs. Holmes & three children, Mr. and Mrs. McGillivray and three children, Mrs R. Saether, Miss A. Wardropper, Messrs. E. Turner, P. M. Rosser, B. C. Finch, T. Oliphant, D. T. Harrison, J Nolan, W J. Brownbill, Misse M. Modgkinson, B. M. Bazley, T. L. Edgar, Woods, Messrs. H. Nakamura, J S. Noakes, N. Keller, Jfl M. Denton, J. M. Oostermayer, Ingram, R. A. Stuart, C. H. Archer, P. Markham, H. Block, F A. Edmondson, A. C. McCullough, Fernando Xavier, F. Klimovitch, Williams, Ah Kuk, Major and Mrs. Jones and four children, Mrs. J. A. Macmillan, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo: Mrs. A. Mangin, Mr. H. A. Powell.

Per T.K.K. s.s. Taiyo Maru from San Francisco and ports: Mr. and Mrs. Beytagh, Messrs. C. S. Beatty, E. J. Casse, J. Courad, Wm. Davies, Miss J. L. Dietz, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Duff, Mr. C. Diniz, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Egbert, Messrs Geo. Higgins, T. Hirai, Dr. John Stanley Ellis, Messrs. Malcolm Johnson, A. J. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. L. Robb, Countess E. Lichodzavesky, Messrs. J. Lariolf, J. Y. Miller, B. Maruyama, Mrs. W. W. Monk, Mr. and Mrs. J. Novelly, Messrs. M. C. Poissonnier, W. Rohd, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Starkey, Messrs. S. Takeuchi, K. Uyemori, H. A. Vincent, J. T. Ward, Miss L. Vance. Through for Hongkong: Misses Delphine Bradt, Rosa Block, Messrs. W. H. Biegel, Geo. H. Brooke, P. A. Dixon, Mr. E. A. G. May, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Shearer, Mr. and Mrs. F. Taylor, Mr. R. F. Vanghan, Archdeacon Percy C. Webber, Mr. B. A. Wissink.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Suiyang for Amoy: Mr. R. F. Maddren.

Per C.N. s.s. Whangpu for Hankow: Mr. A. Wallas.

Per I-C. s.s. Suiwo for Tungchow: Mr. and Mrs. Bucklen and infant; for Hankow: Messrs. C. L. Rowe, Boettehn.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking for Ningpo: Miss Wadman, Mrs. Dowdy.

Per C.N. s.s. Luenyi for Hankow: Miss Stillwell.

Steamers Departed

December 6.

Kiangfoo for Hankow.
Luenyi for Hankow.
Ningshao for Hankow.
Loksang for Hankow.
Fengyang Maru for Hankow.
Shinping for C. Tientsin.
Seikyo Maru for Keelung, etc.
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Tjiliwong for Batavia.
Tsenglee for Tientsin.
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Consisting of the following:—
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One set engineers' stocks and dies
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75 Cases metal shoe protectors
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Wedding

RINELL—COLLDEN

Tsingtao, Dec. 3.—A wedding of considerable interest in missionary circles took place on Saturday, December 1, at Kiaochow in the Chinese Baptist church of the Swedish Mission. Oscar H. Rinell and Miss Hellen Collden were united in marriage, the father of the groom, Rev. J. A. Rinell, performing the ceremony. The ceremony was in the Swedish language, but the accompaniments on leaving the church were wholly after the Chinese manner, the bride and groom being borne away in typical Chinese sedan chairs.

A large crowd of Chinese gathered to se the son of their honored pastor married; the county official and gentry from the city were present; the house was adorned with decorations and with many beautiful flowers. A bounteous wedding supper was spread in the father's home, and merrymaking lasted quite late. Telegrams from various places were read, several being from Sweden.

The bridegroom was born in China, educated in the C. I. M. School in Chefoo, finishing his literary and theological work in Sweden. He has been back in China two years. Miss Collden comes from the Second Baptist church, Goteburg, Sweden. An interesting thing is that her twin brother was recently ordained and two weeks before she left for China, he and his wife left for missionary work in the Congo, Africa.

Standing with them as bridesmaids were the two sisters of Mr. Rinell, the groom, Misses Margaret and Edith Rinell, who made a hurried trip from Peking to be present. They are connected with the Rockefeller Hospital. The groomsmen were Messrs. George J. Sears and Boyd Copeland, business men from Tsingtao.

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Fifty-eight camels, the largest herd ever shipped to the United States, have arrived at the United States Government Quarantine at Athenia, N. J. in charge of Ellis S. Joseph, reported to be the largest animal collector in the world. On the same steamer, which came from Australia, he brought 97 kangaroos, 3 lions, 12 Tasmanian devils and other animals. After the animals have remained in Quarantine for sufficient time for the Government veterinarians to determine they have no diseases they will be sent to various zoological gardens throughout the country.

SLAYER IS CAPTURED
(Reuter's Service)

Delhi, Dec. 5.—A Muzagi Shanwari, the ringleader of the murderers of Major H. C. Finnis, has been captured by the Zhob levy corps.

Mosquito Nets Case In British Court Once More

Frazar and Company, 36 Jinkee Road, sued Mr. J. Naylor, trading as J. Naylor and Company, in the British Supreme Court yesterday to collect a judgment rendered in their favor for Tls. 9,238 and $325 costs. The judgment was given in September after Mr. Naylor refused to accept delivery on mosquito nets he had ordered through the plaintiff firm. The case was dismissed as the Court held that Mr. Naylor was doing everything possible to pay off the judgment as soon as possible.

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Wife Unable To Collect From Her Husband

Mrs. Doyland, wife of James P. Doyland, manager of the Continental Hotel Bar, appeared in the British Supreme Court yesterday in an attempt to secure the collection of $378, judgment given her against her husband. Mrs. Doyland, in answer to her husband's plea that he was not earning enough to pay the judgment, said that Mr. Frederick's of Frederick's Hotel, had told her that Doyland was earning $100 a month when he worked for him. Mr. Doyland denied that he had earned that much and said that he was now getting only $75 a month. That amount was barely enough to keep him going he said, without supporting his wife, who had left him of her own accord. The court dismissed the case pending Mrs. Doyland producing testimony that her husband was earning more than $75 a month.

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CHILD IS KILLED, SEVEN INJURED, IN MORNING FIRE

A child was burned to death and four civilians and three firemen were more or less seriously burned or injured in a fire at Newchang and Kweichow Roads shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Three men and a woman were taken to hospital in a serious condition and two of the firemen are also being treated at Shantung Road Hospital.

The outbreak started in a small Chinese house and spread rapidly, half a dozen dwellings being ablaze when Central Division of the Fire Department arrived. The blaze was quickly checked after some strenuous work, during which one fireman was injured by falling down a staircase while two others were struck by falling debris.

The child killed was a girl eight months old. She was found beneath a mass of debris in No. 56 Newchwang Road. The others injured were sleeping on the ground floor at No. 55. The fire started on the ground floor at 55 Newchwang Road, a second-hand shop, when the dealer's child ignited a mosquito curtain while playing with matches during her perents' absence.

Rubber Prices

Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Company have received the following telegram from their Singapore Agents in connection with the auctions held there on December 5:

Average price realised.

No. 1 Smoked Sheet $0.49½ per pound equivalent to 1s. 2 d. ex warehouse Singapore.

No. 1 Crepe $0.50 per pound equivalent to 1s. 2⅛ d. ex warehouse Singapore.

Market steadier. Offered 498 tons, sold 404 tons.

London quotation Dec. 4th, Both grades 1s. 2⅛ d.

Sunday's Concert

Soloist: Mr. A. Hmelnitzky (Piano).

1.—Symphony E. minor No. 5 Tschaikowsky.
(a) Andante-Allegro Con Anima.
(b) Andante Cantabile.
(c) Valse.
(d) Andante Maestoso-Alegro Vivace-Moderato Assai-Presto-Molto Meno Mosso.

INTERVAL

2.—Concerto A minor for Piano with Orchestra Accompaniment .....Grieg
(a) Allegro Moderato.
(b) Adagio.
(c) Allegro Marcato.

Soloist: Mr. A. Hmelnitzky.

3.—Overture Oberon .....Weber

Conductor: MAESTRO MARIO PACI.

Assistant Conductor: A. de Kryger.

The Third Chamber Music and Soloist Concert will be give on Thursday, December 20, at 9.15 p.m. Admission (per Concert) $1.

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98 Brothels To Close In April

One half of the brothels at present licensed in Shanghai were drawn at the lottery conducted by the Municipal Council in the Town Hall yesterday afternoon, leaving 98 licensed houses in the Settlement. Under the system put into force by the Council four drawings have been held, gradually eliminating the brothels in the city. After next year it is expected that no licenses will be granted.

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